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THOMAS BELL,

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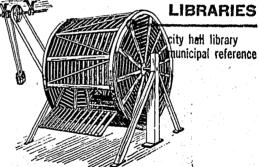
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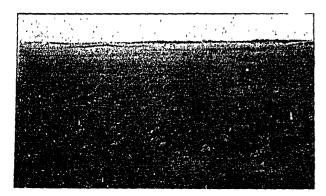


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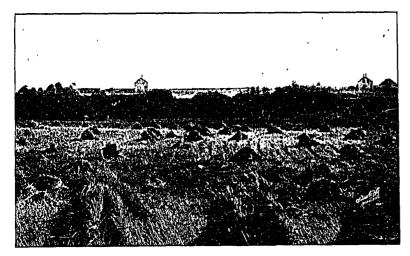
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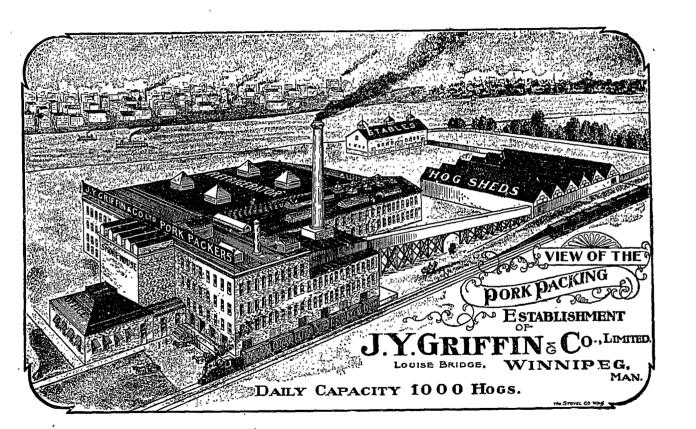
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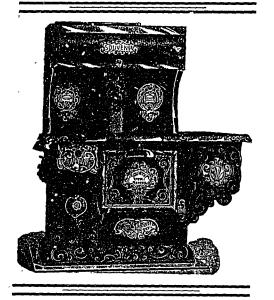
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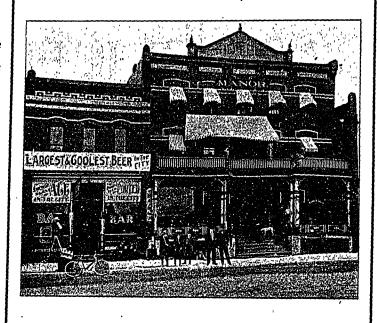
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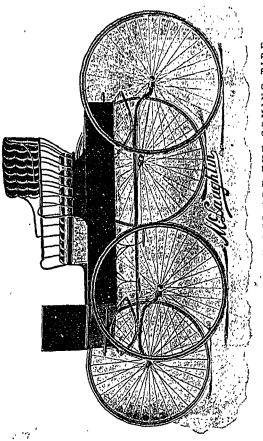


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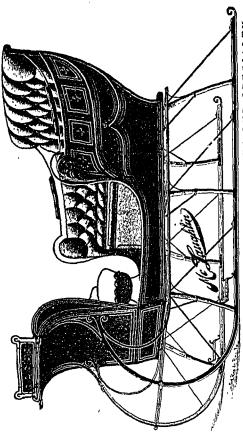
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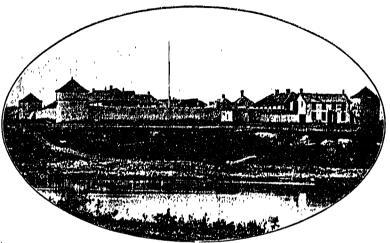
THE CITY OF WINNIPEG

GEOGRAPHICAL POSITION.

IIIE City of Winnipeg is situated at the junction of the Red and Assiniboine Rivers in the Province of Manitoba; it is almost midway between the Atlantic and Pacific occans and forty miles south of Lake Winnipeg, an immense body of water abounding in fish, with shores for the most part heavily timbered; it is sixty miles north of the boundary line between Canada and the United States of America, with which latter country it has three direct connecting lines of railway.

CLIMATE.

The climate is very agreeable. Spring commences about the first of April and has scarcely put in an appearance before it is followed by summer, the delights of which, with its long days



Upper Port Carry-The Winnipeg of 1870.

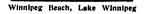
and cool nights, it is impossible to describe. Autumn is a splendid season, and winter entirely loses its dread for the timorous after a single experience.

POPULATION.

. In 1870 the population was 215; in 1874 it had risen to 1,869, in 1885 to 19,574, in 1898 to 39,384; on the 1st October, 1902, it was 56,603, and to-day it is 77,000 souls. The great inrush from the East accounts for the latter figures. The figures above given are from official records and are very conservative.



The Original Inhabitants.



MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT.

MAYOR AND COUNCIL

The government of the City is executed under the powers of a Charter from the Provincial Legislature; it is carried on by a Council composed of twelve Aldermen elected by the people, with a Mayor as Chief Magistrate. Each Alderman holds office for two

vears, the Mayor for one, and all must following are the names of the Mayor years 1903 and 1904: 1903-Mayor, Campbell, J. C. Gibson, Robert Barclay, Latimer, T. Sharpe, J. G. Harvey, D. D. Cockburn. 1904-Mayor, Thos. Sharpe, Gibson, John Russell, J. R. Wynne, vey, D. D. Wood, A. McCharles, Henry officials are appointed by the Council, and removals are made for the public

The water supply of the City is artesian well; it is exceptionally pure

Fire Protection. - Winnipeg is Fire Brigade is composed of forty-four hose wagons, four steam fire engines, a sixty-five ft. Hayes aerial truck. There and four are in course of erection. There ample supply of water. Fire limits are of brick and stone may be erected, others dations may be placed. All electrical Electrician, and all buildings erected un-

Municipal Ownership .- The City asphalt plant and a stone quarry. The Electric Lighting plant installed at a cost ing of 70 miles of wire, and costs \$83.98 distinction of being the first City in America to own its own asphalt plant,

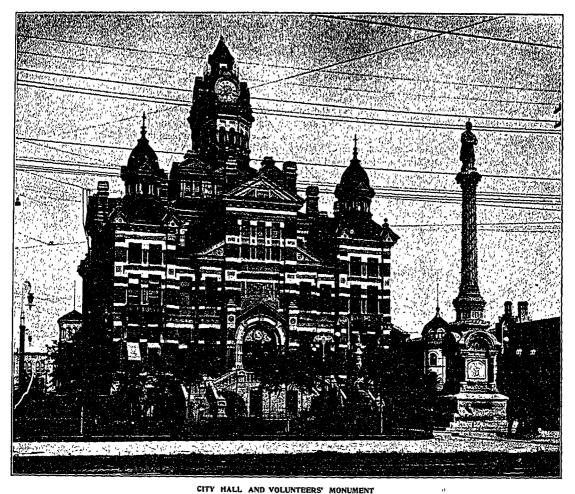


MAYOR THOS, SHARPE

be substantial property owners. The and members of the Council for the John Arbuthnot, and Aldermen C. J. H. McCarthy, John Russell, J. G. Wood, D. A. Ritchie, J. L. Wells, J. W. and Aldermen C. Campbell, J. C. J. W. Horne, J. G. Latimer, J. G. Har-Fry. J. W. Cockburn, F. J. C. Cox. All no office is elective, and all appointments good.

of immense capacity obtained from an and is supplied at the lowest possible cost. well equipped with fire protection; the men; it has twenty-four horses, three two double and one single chemicals and are three fire stations at present in use are ninety-three fire alarm boxes and an established within which only buildings wherein only those having stone founappliances are installed under the City der like control of Building Inspector. owns its own street lighting plant, an street lighting is provided by the City of \$62,673.48; it has involved the stringper lamp per year. Winnipeg enjoys the

Pavements, Stone Walks and Boulevards,-The streets are all laid under the direction of the City Engineer by day labor and the



CITY HALL AND VOLUNTEERS' MONUMENT

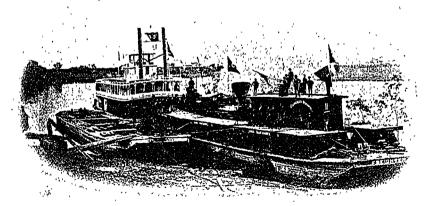
cheapness with which the stone can be obtained from the City's quarry makes the cost of pavements comparatively low; in fact, of forty-four cities of America Winnipeg lays its asphalt pavements at the lowest cost. Artificial stone walks are universally used in the more thickly populated districts. Boulevards are upon most of the streets.

EDUCATION.

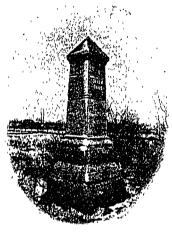
The school system of Winnipeg is governed by statute. The system is as perfect as thought and care can make it. But little expense is upon the parents of scholars, none indeed for education, and the text books for the preliminary grades are free and thereafter only small amounts are required for necessary books. The school buildings are noble in design, complete in detail, including sanitary conditions, and as a whole compare favorably with any in the Dominion. Included in the system is a Collegiate Institute forming a link between the lower schools and the University. Education in this department is entirely free. Four existing colleges are affiliated with the present University and a most complete University building has been erected. There is also a well equipped Medical College in connection with the University. Besides the public schools there are several private educational establishments.

CHURCHES.

Instead of counterating the different denominations of the Christian religion a difficult task



Arrival of first C.P.R. Train in Winnipeg by Red River Steamer

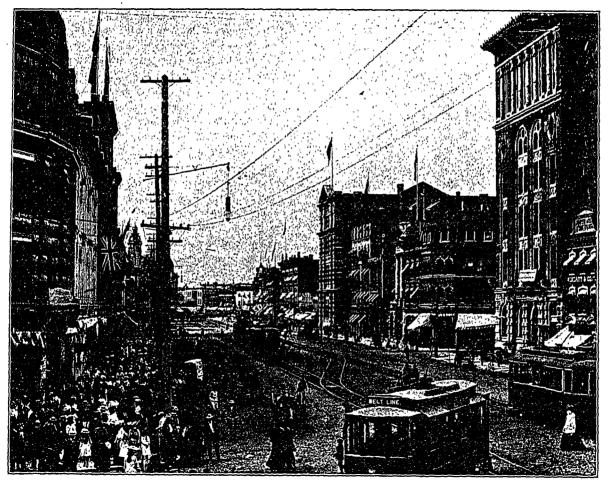


Seven Oaks Monument—Site of a clash between old rival Fur Companies

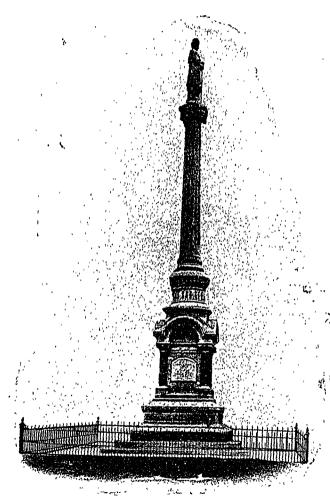
would be set to point to one which is not represented in Winnipeg.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

A Reference and Circulating Library is maintained by the City in the City Hall. It contains over 15,000 well selected volumes. A reading room is attached to the Library which is entirely free to the public, who have access to forty-four monthly and thirty-five daily and weekly newspapers and periodicals from England, the United States and Canada. A fine new public Library building is now under construction, towards which Mr. Carnegie is giving \$75,000.



MAIN STREET LOOKING NORTH FROM PORTAGE AVENUE



Volunteers' Monument, City Hall Square

TRADE AND COMMERCE.

DOMESTIC TRADE

Winnipeg is the centre for the wholesale and jobbing trade of the North-West. Immense stocks of goods and merchandisc required to supply the wants of the districts devoted to grain production, stock raising and cattle breeding, mining, lumbering and fishing, as well as the more diversified demands of the city, town and village, are to be found in the handsome warehouses supplied with the latest conveniences and appliances, which are a marked feature of the City's architecture. Shipments are made daily to points over a thousand miles distant, so extensive a range of country is supplied from this well stocked central market. The very complete railway systems radiating from Winnipeg afford great facilities to the retailer in the Province and Territories for securing his goods at short notice. It would be impossible to give in detail a full list of the lines of goods handled, it will be sufficient to make the general statement that all the wants of a mixed community are supplied.

FOREIGN TRADE

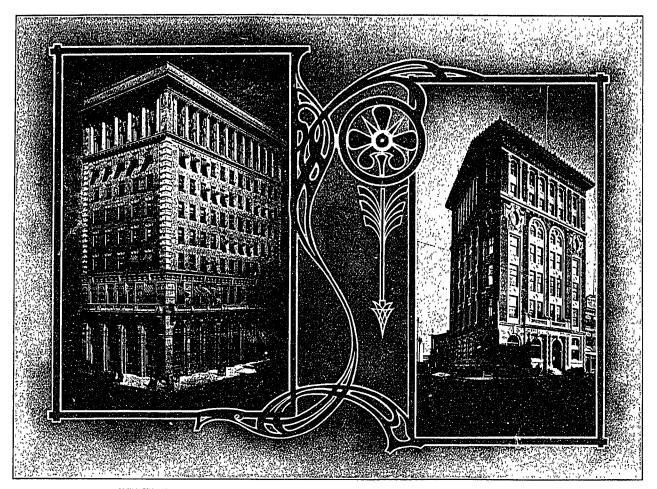
The direct foreign trade of the Port of Winnipeg in the matter of imports in 1897 totalled \$2,858,966 and in 1899 \$5,695,715, though a large percentage of the foreign goods consumed in the City and Province is purchased duty paid in Montreal and Toronto, and is not credited to the Port of Winnipeg in the Customs House returns.

CUSTOMS DUTIES.

The customs duty paid in 1899 was \$1,140,051. Returns for 1902 are not available, but the increase is in proportion to the increased trade as indicated by the above quoted data.

MANUFACTURES.

Various industries are already established in Winnipeg, including furniture and upholstery, brooms and brushes, oatmeal, flour and grist mills, awnings, tents and mattrasses, clothing,





bookbinding, carriage works, soda water works, breweries, meat curing and packing, bricks and tiles, boiler and machine shops, foundries, biscuit, confectionery and bakery products, coffee and spice mills, harness and saddlery, marble works, tinware, sash, door, and boxes, saw mills, eigar factories, oil mills, plumbing and gas fitting, tanneries, soap, jewellery, etc.



BANKS.

Water Jump, Steeple Chase Course

As a financial centre Winnipeg ranks third among the Cities of Canada. In the City now doing business there are no less than thirteen chartered banks representing a paid up capital of nearly fifty million dollars, and including al-

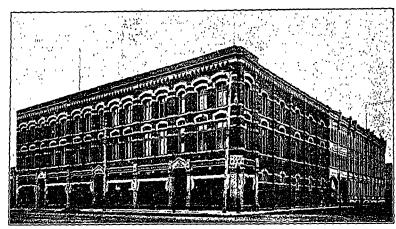
most all of the leading banks of Canada. A complete system of financial organization was effected in 1893 by the formation of "The Winnipeg Clearing House Association." From one of the lowest places in regard to the figures recording the bank clearings Winnipeg has risen in a few years to third place in Canada, only Montreal and Toronto showing greater. These cities, however, show only slight increases and even decreases over last year's figures, while Winnipeg shows monthly increases of nearly fifty per cent. The following figures give the annual returns of the bank clearings in Winnipeg for the past ten years:-1894, \$50,540,648; 1895,

\$56,873,631; 1896, \$64,146,438; 1897, \$84,435,-832; 1898, \$90,674,325; 1899, \$107,786,814; 1900, \$106,956,720; 1901, \$134,199,438; 1902, \$188,370,003; 1903, \$246,108,006.

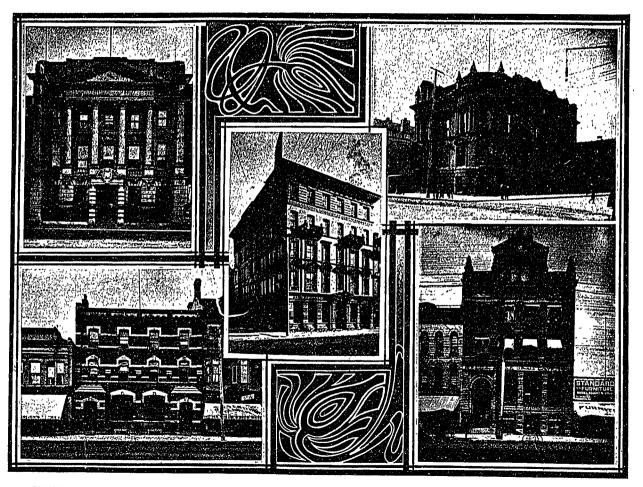
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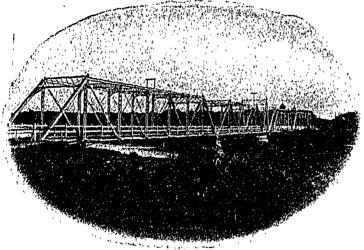
In addition to the banks, numerous land, loan and trust companies have been established here and the principal eastern investment and loan companies have branches in the City. Fire and life insurance companies of Canada, England and America are well represented.



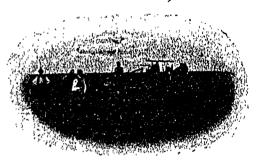


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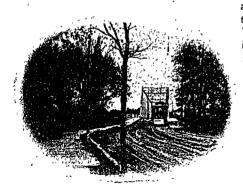
Maryland Bridge over the Assiniboine



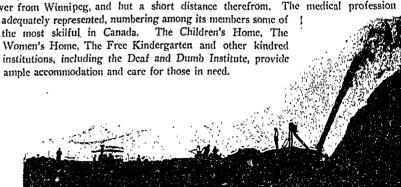
The Gold Mines of the West
PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.

The Winnipeg General Hospital is maintained for the greater part by the contributions of the City. The poor and suffering from all parts of Manitoba receive here most careful and humane treatment in large and well appointed buildings at the hands of skilful and exper-

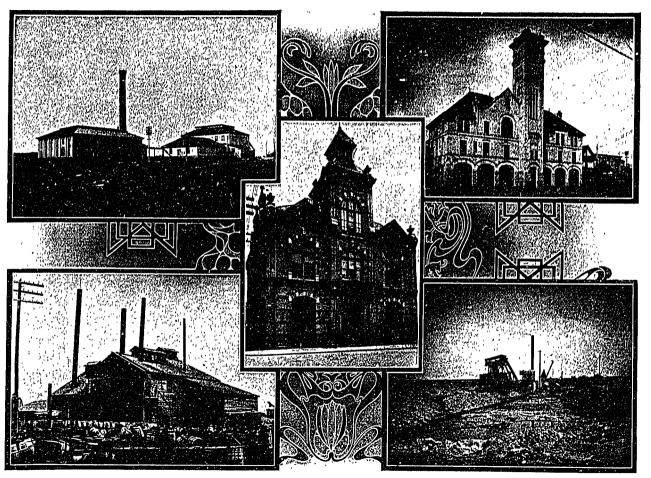
ienced physicians and surgeons and are cared for by trained nurses. There is also a large and well appointed hospital managed by the Grey Nuns in St. Boniface, across the Red River from Winnipeg, and but a short distance therefrom. The medical profession is



Osborne Bridge, Fort Rouge



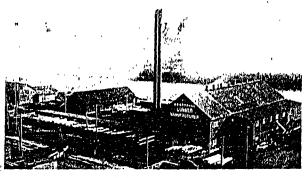
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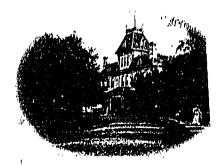
CITY WATER WORKS AND SOFTENING PLANT CITY ASPHALT PLANT

POLICE COURT

CENTRAL FIRE HALL CITY QUARRY



D. E. Sprague's Lumber Mill



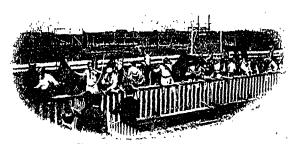
Government House Avenue

ASSESSMENT.

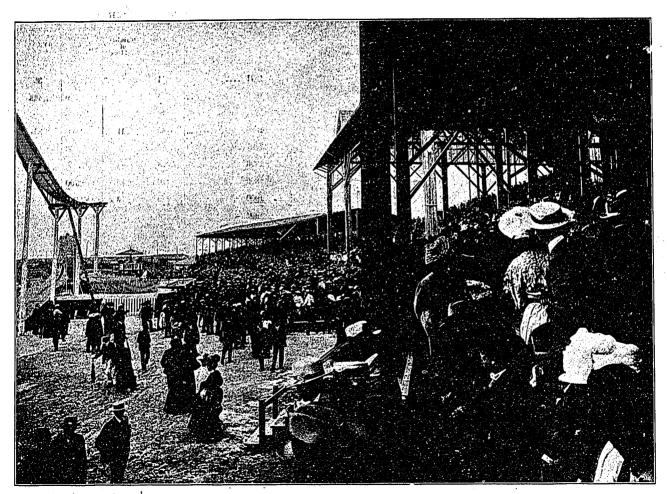
The assessment of the City for purposes of taxation was in 1874, \$2,676,018; 1885, \$22,411,005; 1898, \$27,638,620, and 190 is \$43,963,690. Thus in three decades the increase has been \$41,287,672. The last preceding statement is all sufficient to show growth of the city. Moreover, this advance has been steady, continued and is continuing, so that the figures given above as the assement for 1903 are those based upon valuations in October, 1902, and the valuations of properties to-day would represent a grincrease.



Petato Race at Gymkhana



Ginger Ale and Umbrella Race Gymkhana



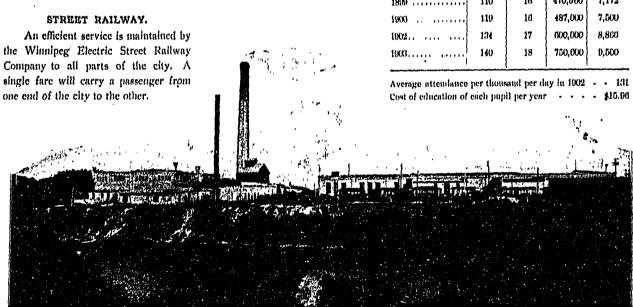
GRAND STANDS-EXHIBITION, GROUNDS

GROWTH OF SCHOOLS.

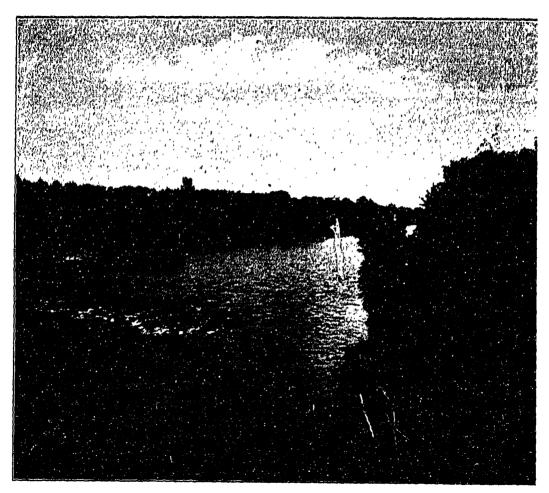
YKAR,	Number Of Teachers	Number tol initialings	Value	Attend- ance.
1871	1	1		35
1870	4	2	\$ 3,500	428
1881	18	a	50,000	807
1880	49	11	220,000	2,831
1891	00	12	201,000	4,189
1890	96	14	397,700	0 874
1800	011	16	470,500	7,172
1900	119	10	487,000	7,500
1002	194	17	000,000	8,800
1903	140	18	750,000	9,500
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Winnipeg Senior Eight-Champions at American National Regutts, 1903



Street Rallway Power House and Car Sheds



THE ASSINIBOINE RIVER

INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION.

The Winnipeg Industrial Exhibition Association holds annually the great agricultural and stock show of the western half of Canada. One hundred and forty thousand dollars is already invested by the City in buildings and improvements. In 1902 the amount expended on the Exhibition, including prizes, exceeded \$65,000 and for 1903 the estimate is \$70,000.



A Real Bucker

GRAIN MARKET.

Winnipeg is the greatest Grain Market in the British Empire. The grain inspected between September 1st, 1902, and August 31st, 1903, was: Wheat, 51,833,000 bushels; Oats, 3,054,000 bushels; Barley, 565,200 bushels; Flax, 655,000 bushels; speltz, 10,000 bushels. Total, 56,117,200 bushels. In Wheat receipts the City is now a leading point on the continent, as the following comparison shows:—Winnipeg, 51,833,000 bushels; Duluth-Superior, 42,406,923 bushels; Chicago, 37,940,953 bushels.

GENERALLY.

GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS

Winnipeg is the Provincial Capital, and in consequence the Manitoba Legislature, Department of Agriculture and Statistics, Attorney-General, Public Works, Provincial Treasurer, Provincial Secretary, with the Registrar-General of Lands and the Superior Courts, have their official headquarters within the City.

MILITARY

The regular troops on duty in Manitoba, the Canadian Mounted Rifles, are in barracks in the City, and the volunteers with head-quarters here include the 13th Field Battery and the 90th Regt. Rifles.

PARK

There are nine parks maintained by the Public Parks Board, originally costing \$100,178, but this sum does not include the cost of laying out, planting and maintenance. All are tastefully laid out and cultivated. In addition to these there are two large parks, just without the city limits not under the control of the City.



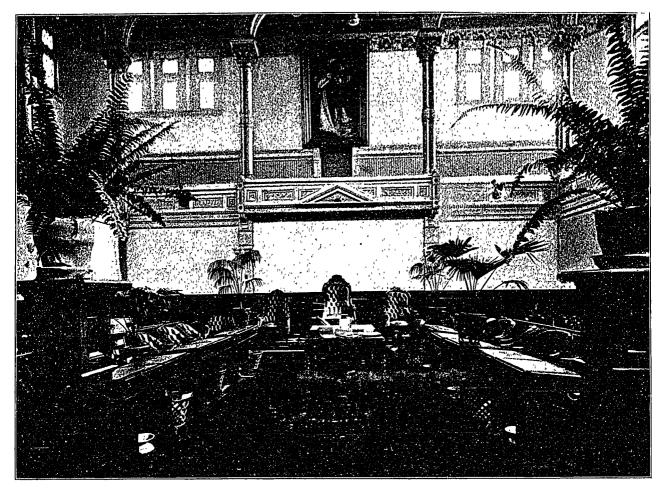
At a Western Round-up

SHADE TREES

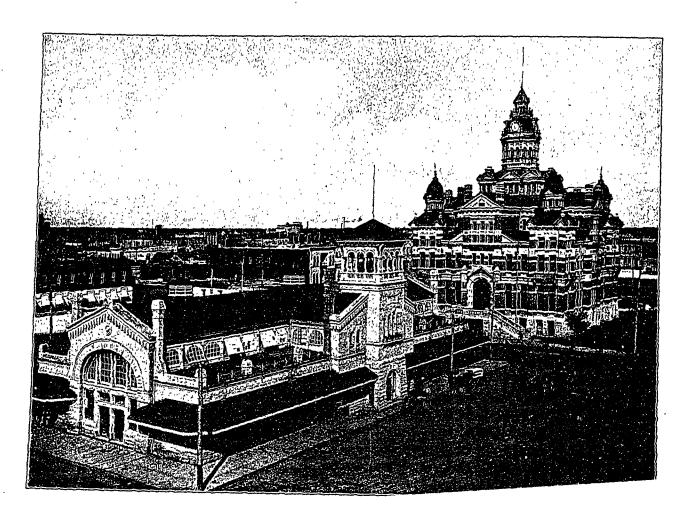
There are planted upon the boulevards of the City over twenty miles of shade trees which are well cared for by the Public Parks Board.

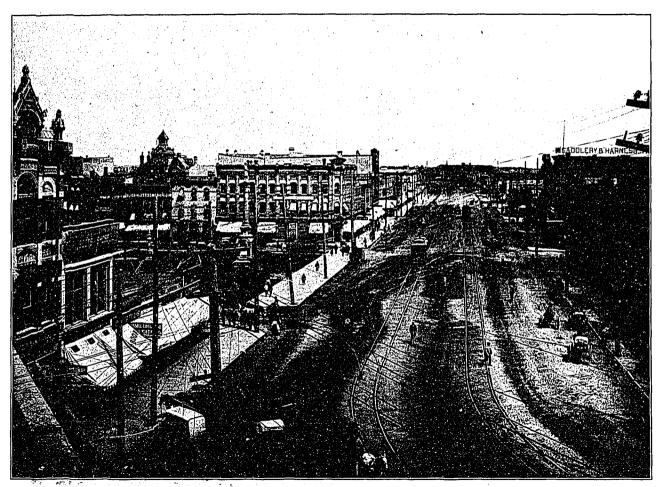
NEWSPAPERS '

Winnipeg has three daily newspapers and many weekly and monthly publications.

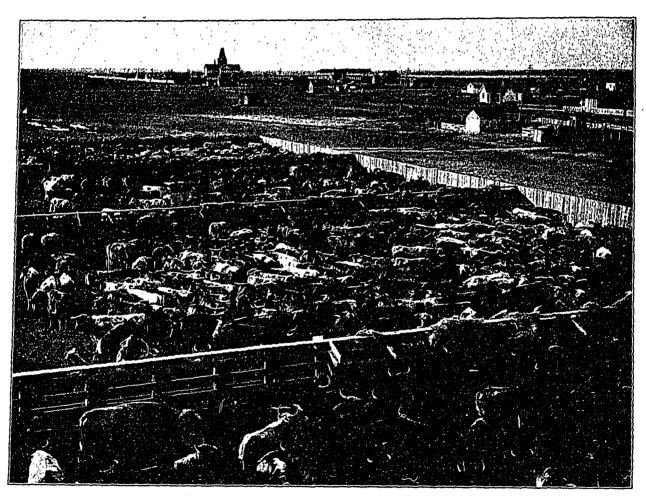


INTERIOR CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER

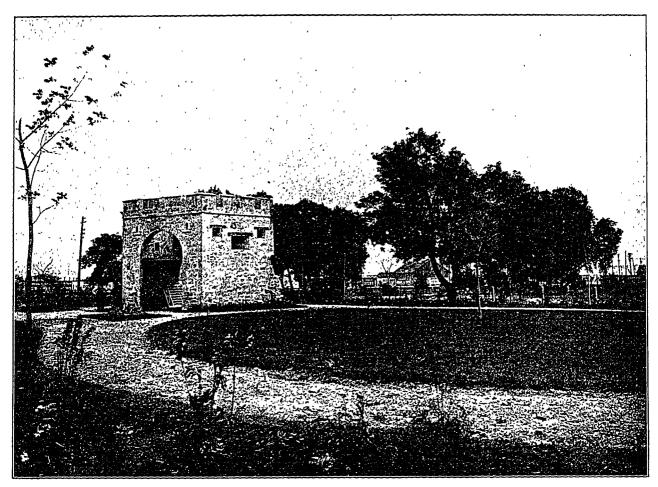




MAIN STREET-NORTH OF CITY HALL



CORNER OF STOCK YARDS-EXHIBITION BUILDINGS IN DISTANCE



OLD FORT GARRY GATE

Number of Letters Mailed at Post Office in 1896, 2,539,914, and in 1902, 5,669,872.



The Prairie

Gross Postal Revenue in 1896, \$91,418, and in 1902, \$156,734. Inland Revenue Collections, 1898, \$477,923, and in 1902, \$637,881.

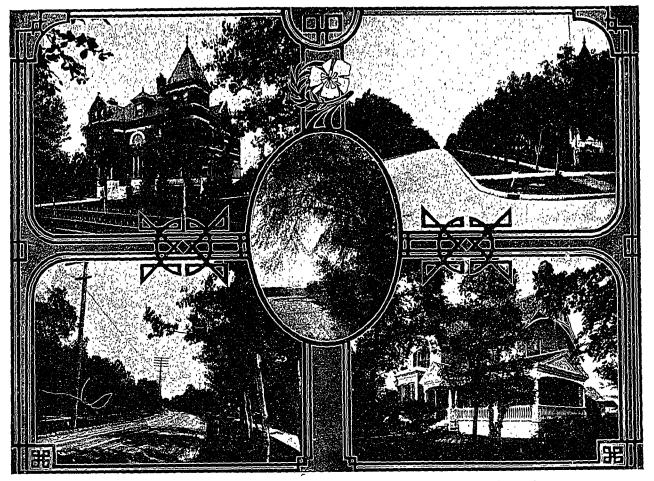
Area of City in acres	Number of Miles Wiring for Electric Lighting of				
Number of Churches 60	Streets				
Number of Schools maintained by City 18	Number of Miles Street Railway 18				
Number of pupils attending schools 9,500	Number of Miles Graded Streets 123				
Number of Miles of Asphalt Pavements 12	Number of Arc Lights 250				
Number of Miles Macadam Pavements 30	Number of Hydrants 450				
Number of Miles Block Pavements	Area of Parks in acres				
Number of Miles Boulevards 44	Assessed Value of Parks \$105,500				
Number of Miles Stone Sidewalks 16	Rate of Taxation in 1902 231 mills.				
Number of Miles Plank Sidewalks : 179	Rate of Taxation in 1903 21, mills.				
Number of Miles Sewers	Value of Buildings Erected and in Course of				
Number of Miles Water Mains 80	Erection \$17,150,000				



Wheat Exports (Manitoba) 1886, four million bushels, and in 1902, fifty-five millions.



Senior Four-Champions American Nat. Regutta, 1903



J. H. ASHDOWN'S RESIDENCE CAOR NYJEON

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KENNEDY STREET
W. G. McMAHON'S RESIDENCE

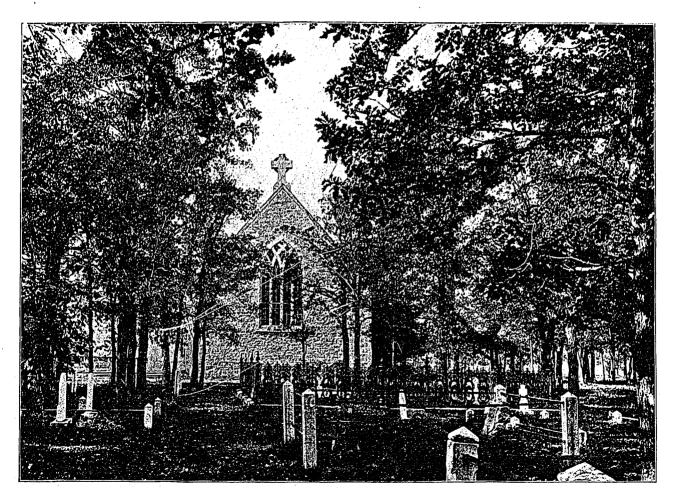
COMPARATIVE STATISTICS, ETC.

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1871									35	
1874	\$ 2,070,018	1 ::::	1,800	} ::	}	}	}			1
1875	2,035,805		2,001	1	(; ;)					1
1870	3,031,085	1	3,000]	}				423	1
1877	3,007,824		2,722				l :		١	
1878	3,210,980	1	3,180	1	1 1		1 !			1
1870	3,415,005		4,113	1			1			
1880	4,008,400		0,178	1			l I			
1881	9,150,085	1	6,245	32/3			1		807	
1882 (a)	30,363,270	1	15,000	51/2	(28.87	6		{
1883 (a)	32,883,100	\$ 5,610,000	20,000	6.34	1)/		50.87	10	• •	l
1881 (a)	27,444,700	6,097,300	16,604	18	31/4		99.37	11		\
1885	19,711,605	5,797,300	19,574	18,75	41/4	!	102.10	12	• •	
1880	19,286,905	5,598,390	19,525	18.75	4,53		104.00	13	2,831	
1887	19,302,410	5,580,250	21,257	10.58	6,53	[100.46	14		
1888	19,523,890	5,902,650	22,098	19,58	8.5	}	114.52	10		
1880	18,607,800	5,925,700	21,328	20.78	9,16		!	17		()
1890	18,612,410	5,779,050	23,000	20.78	9.56	{	122.22	18		
1801	19,914,270	8,021,450	24,088	23,27	9.56	}	123.78	20	4,189	
1892	20,328,100	6,230 320	29,182	35	9.56	!	127 5	20		
1893 [21,692,700	6,712,150	32,119	36,70	9.73	{	134 23	201/2		
1894	22,001,330	7,030,700	34,954	37.9	10.98	1	141.23	21		\$ 50,540,648
1895	22,168,990	7,409,500	37,124	38.7	11.84	!	146.24	22		50,873,631
1896	22,500,430	7,809,100	37,983	30.4	12.44	1.08	150.67	221/2	6,374	64,146,438
1897	22,832,020	8,123,300	38,733	41.4	18.11	2.73	152.12	2214		84,435,842
1808	22,851,700	8,090,450	39,384	42.8	26.19	8.33	154.36	22.68	}	90,674,325
1899	23,519,520	8,435,550	40,112	47.9	33.11	14.67	159,56	44.78	7,172	107,786,814
1900	25,077,460	9,344,280	42,534	51.8	39.53	27.8	165.64	59,63	7,500	106,956,720
901	20,405,770	10,095,870	41,778	58.5	47 01	37.8	175 04	64,62	8,246	134,109,438
.902	-23,615,810	11,276,310	48,411	64	52 50	44.6	186	74	8,866	188,370,003
903	36,231,920	(6) 12,956,960	56,603	70	58 5	50	195	80	9,500	163,105,124
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⁽a) These years experienced the inevitable "boom"; in 1885 values again became normal.

The above figures of assessment are exclusive of exemption, which rose from nearly three millions in 1894 to nearly eight millions in 1903.

⁽b) To October, 1902, since which permits for 1127 buildings, to cost over five millions, have been issued. The same date applies to realty assessment, since which values are greatly enhanced.



ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

THE WINNIPEG INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION.

A review of the institutions of Winnipeg and the Canadian West would be incomplete without a brief description of the Winnipeg Industrial Exhibition. This institution was started about a dozen years ago, when many believed that a great fair in such a sparsely settled country, with its then very limited population, was an impossibility, but, to use a phrase of the political economists, it was "a natural industry," and under the guidance of men of broad views and optimistic foresignit it has grown in those dozen years not

only to be a great fair measured by the third largest fair on the continent ago a prominent Torontonian looked pass the successful and much-praised

The Winnipeg Industrial is so so much a period of time in the West, was not always so and that it took the Fair in that position. Yet it now should succeed in Winnipeg. It had who were, in all lines of industry, about it immense stretches of the best peopled by energetic and intelligent one hand to let others know what they others what they had accomplished the Exhibition was located where it transportation systems which centre Winnipeg. Under these circumof all classes, the Exhibition has gone most sanguine expectations of a few

In old-settled countries exhibithe life of a nation. They act as to show the progress made by the the warp and woof of that nation's tries exhibitions perform this funcmore. They show to people from a try itself, the intelligence and industry should they settle here, and they



Canada Life Block

local or provincial standards but to be of America, and only a few weeks forward to the day when it would sur-Toronto Exhibition.

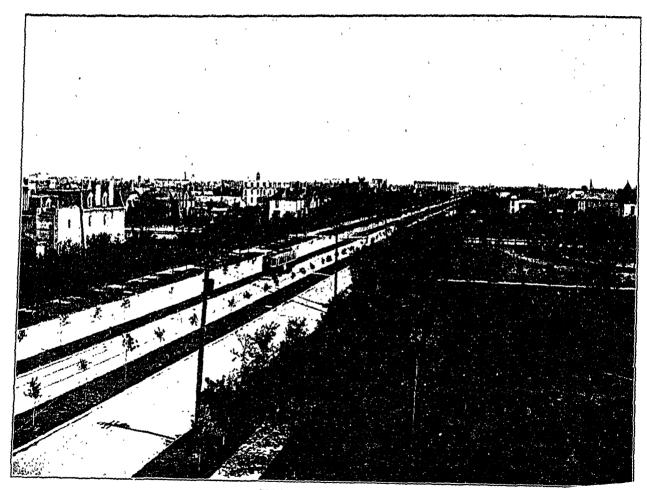
much an institution, and "Fair Week" that people are apt to forget that it much thought and energy to place scens natural enough that a fair the services, freely given, of the men building up the Canadian West; it had agricultural land in the world, agriculturists, who were ready on the had been able to do and to learn from Along with this went the fact that could reap the advantage of the in and are largely directed from stances, with the hearty co-operation from one stage to another until the years ago have been far surpassed. tions play a most important part in

tions play a most important part in milestones, which can be read by all, nation in the industries which form wealth and commerce. In new countion but they perform at least two distance the capabilities of the counof those who will be their neighbors, provide a time of recreation and preclashing in a country where people

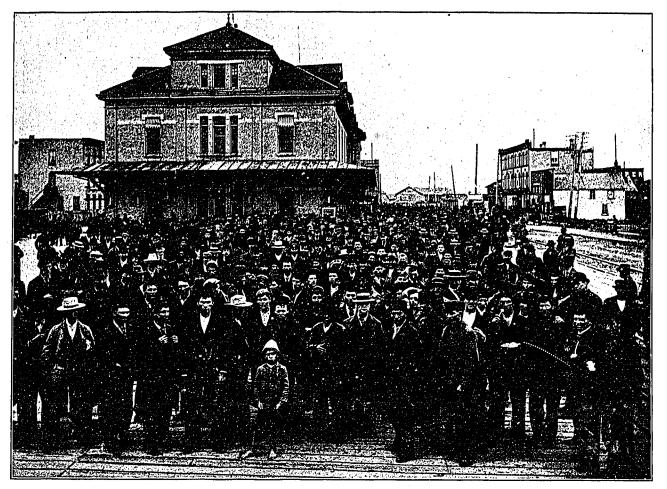
amusement of which there are often many in older and more populous communities, but which are lacking in a country where people are separated by long distances and strenuously engaged during the whole year in the work of developing their own property and the resources of the country. In this latter regard the Winnipeg Industrial fills a place which but few other fairs occupy. The best attractions that can be presented before such a large concourse of people are got from all parts of the continent. The grand stand, which holds 12,000 people, faces the homestretch of a half-mile track where some of the finest speeding contests in the Dominion have taken place. Opposite the grand stand is the attractions platform, fitted with every applicant.



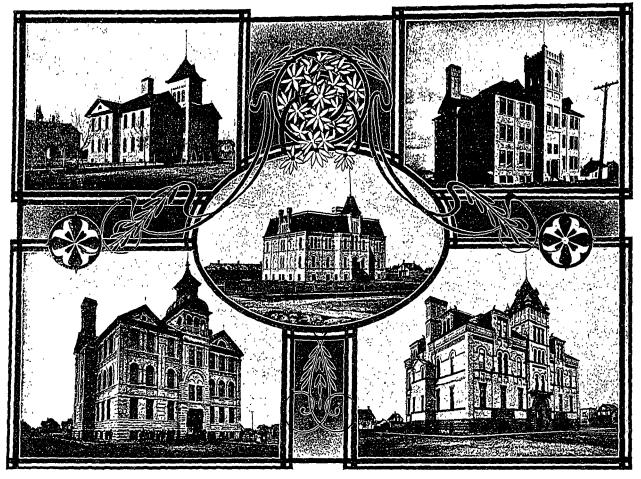
ASSINIBOINE PARK



BROADWAY-LOOKING EAST



HARVESTERS AT C.P.R. STATION-EN ROUTE TO THE WHEAT FIELDS



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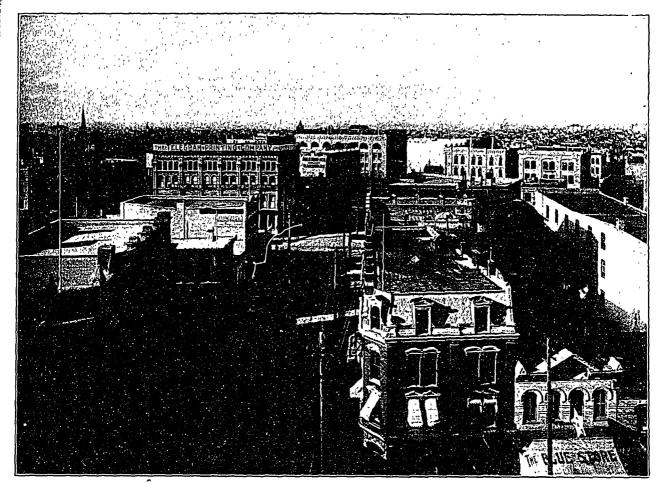
SOME PUBLIC SCHOOLS Collegiate Institute

Somerset

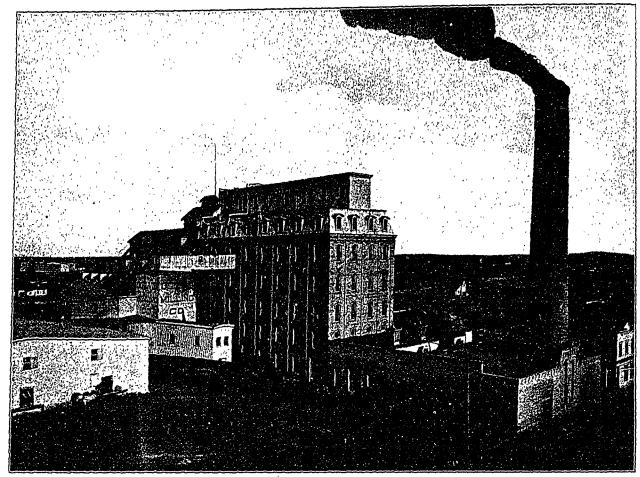
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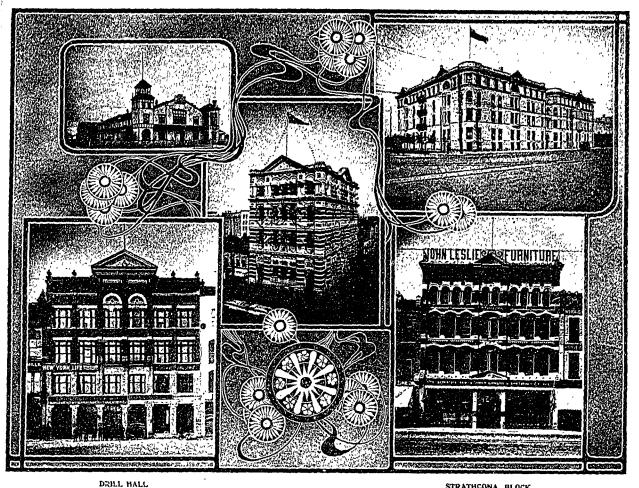


WHOLESALE SECTION-LOOKING WEST ON MCDERMOT



OGILVIE FLOUR MILLS CO., LTD-FLOUR MILL
(3,000 Bbls, Daily Capacity)



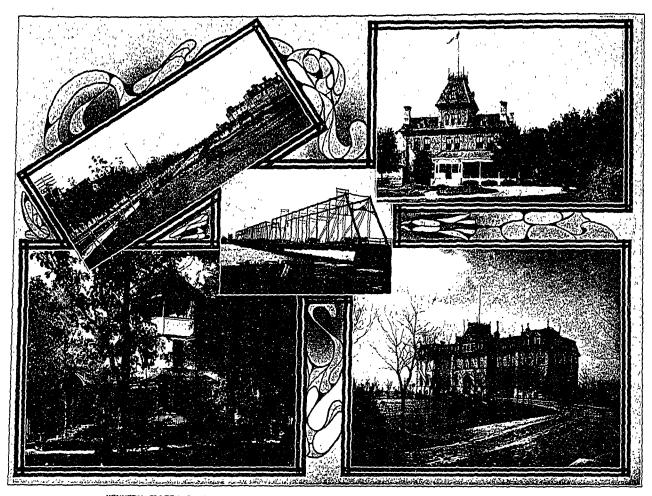


GRAIN EXCHANGE

POST OFFICE

STRATHCONA BLOCK

JOHN LESLIE'S STORE

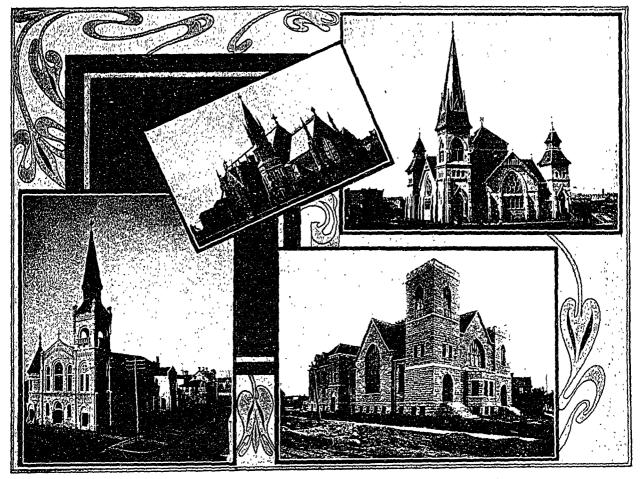


KENNEDY STREET SOUTH
EX-MAYOR ARBUTHNOT'S RESIDENCE

LOUISE BRIDGE

GOVERNMENT HOUSE
PROVINCIAL LEGISLATIVE BUILDING

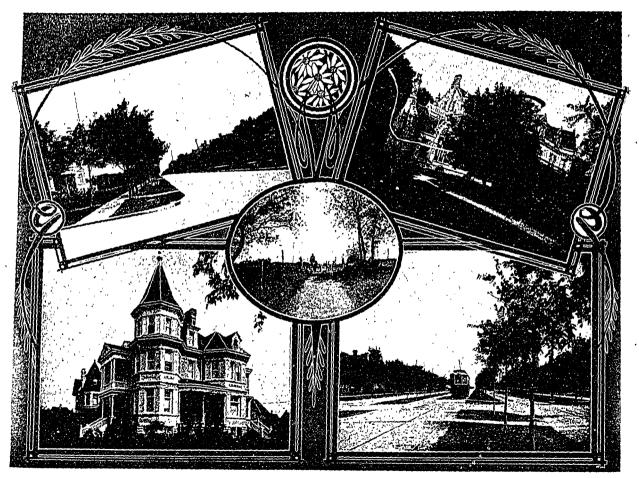




HOLY TRINITY

ST. STEPHEN'S

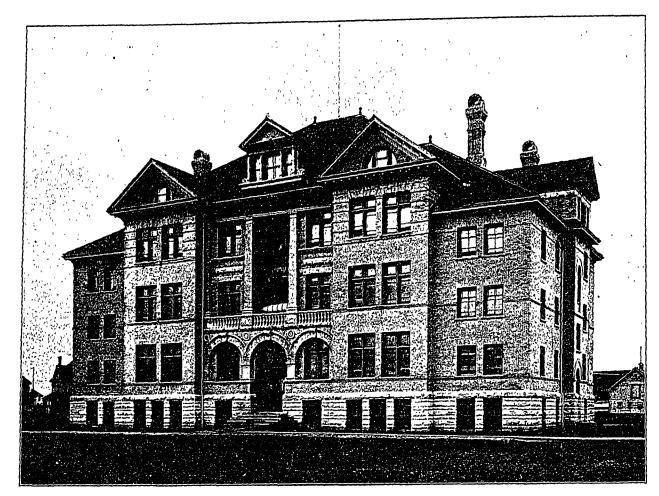
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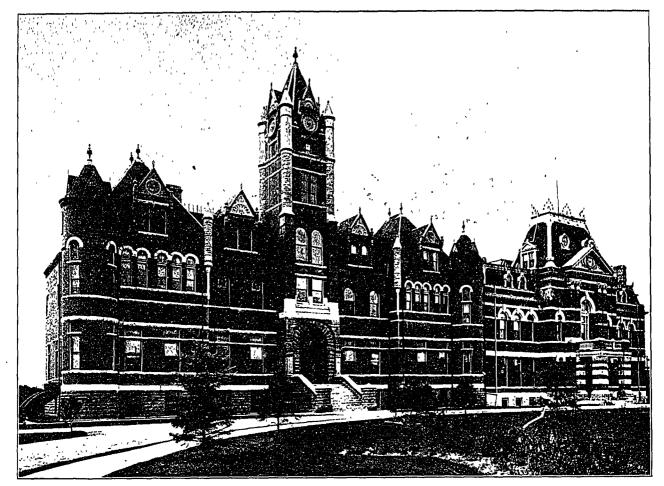
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N. BAWLF'S RESIDENCE

J. S. TUPPER'S RESIDENCE BROADWAY

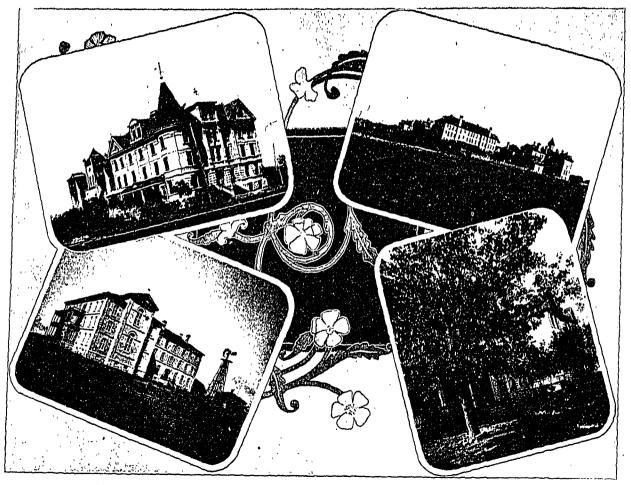
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MANITOBA UNIVERSITY

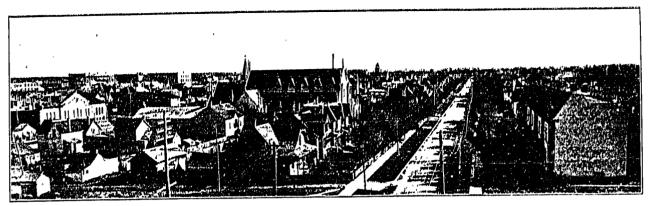


THE LAW COURTS

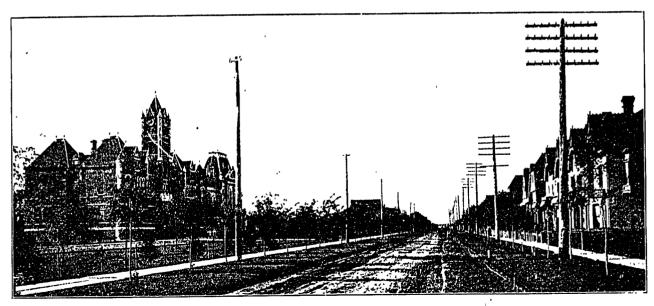


DEAF AND DUMB INSTITUTE
ST. BONIFACE HOSPITAL

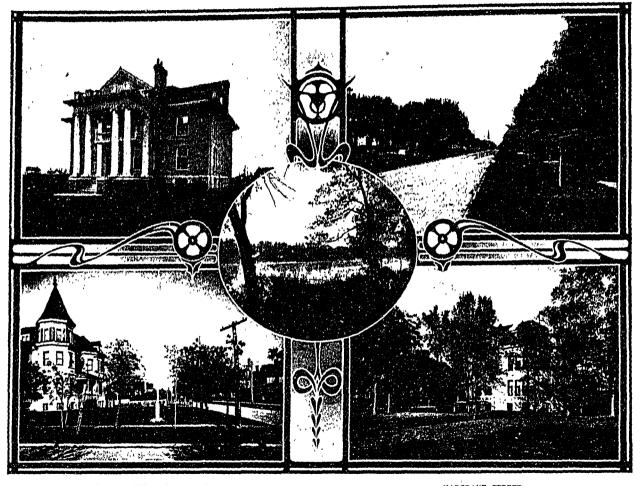
WINNIPEG GENERAL HOSPITAL CHILDREN'S HOME



DONALD STREET-LOOKING SOUTH FROM PORTAGE AVENUE



KENNEDY STREET—LOOKING NORTH FROM BROADWAY
. (Now Asphalted)



J. A. M. AIKINS' RESIDENCE

ASSINIBOINE AVENUE

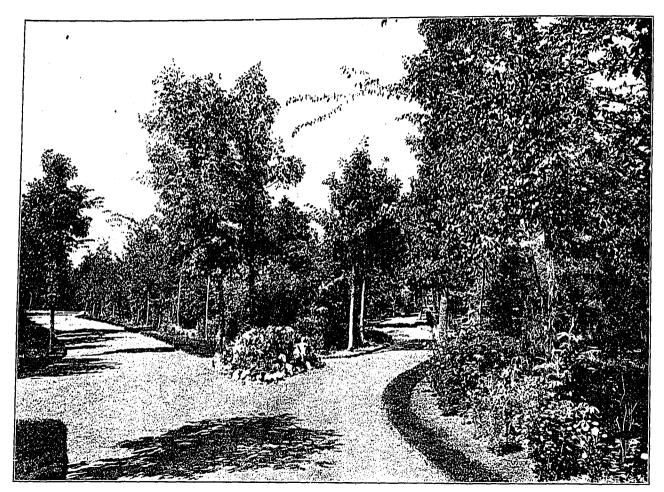
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HARGRAVE STREET

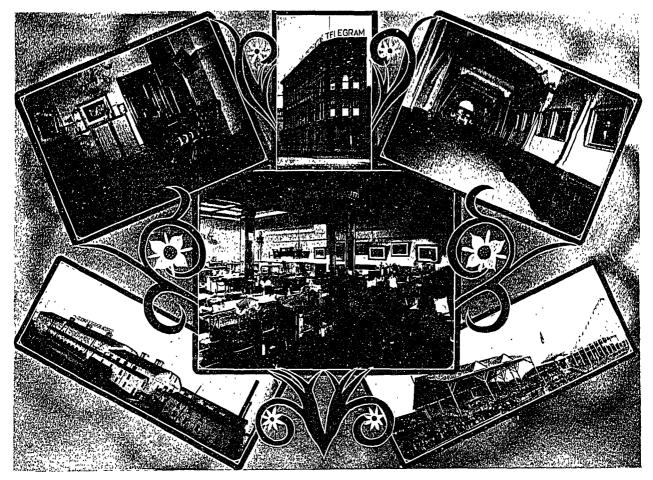
A. M. NANTON'S RESIDENCE



VIEW FROM MERCHANTS BANK



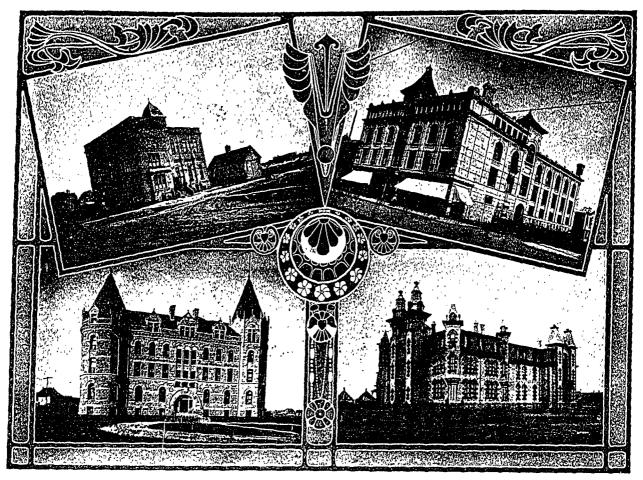
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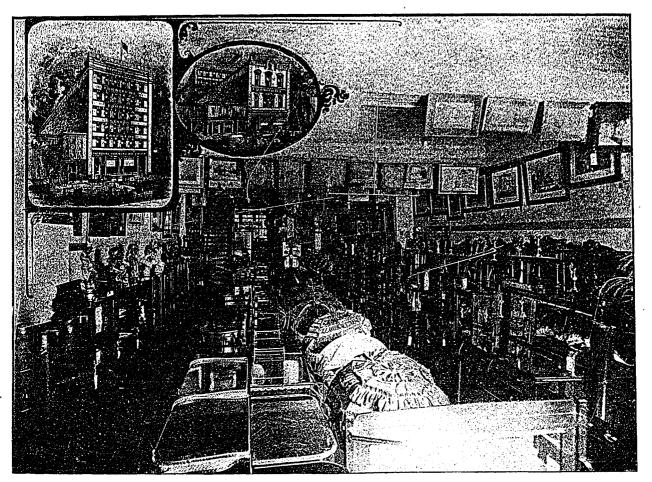


MAYOR'S OFFICE GORDON, IRONSIDES & FARES' ABATTOIR

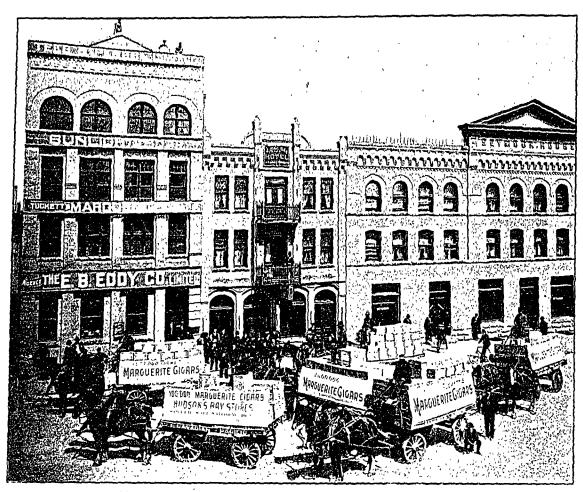
TELEGRAM BUILDING
INTERIOR LESLIE'S FURNITURE STORE

CORRIDOR, CITY HALL
GRAND STANDS, EXHIBITION GROUNDS.
Filled, with 12,000 people.

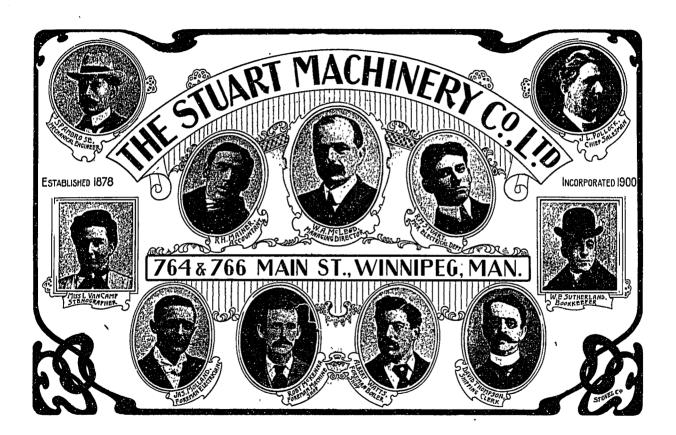


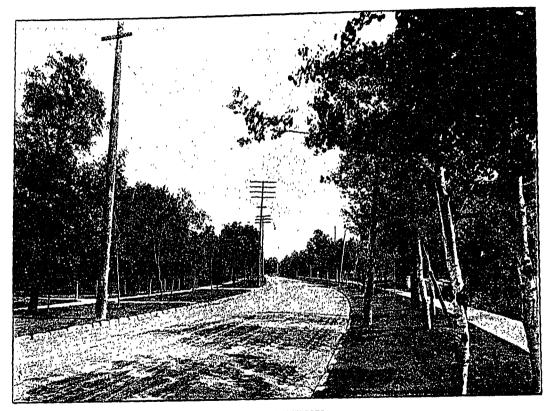


INTERIOR ROYAL FURNITURE CO.'S STORE Fort St. Building

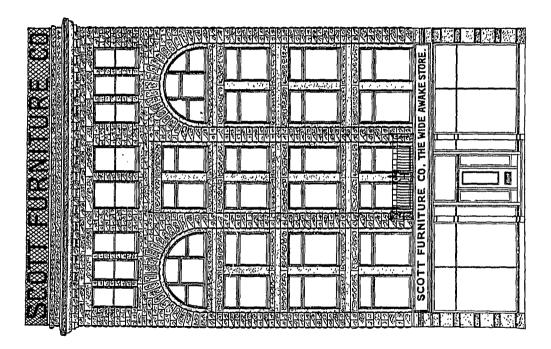


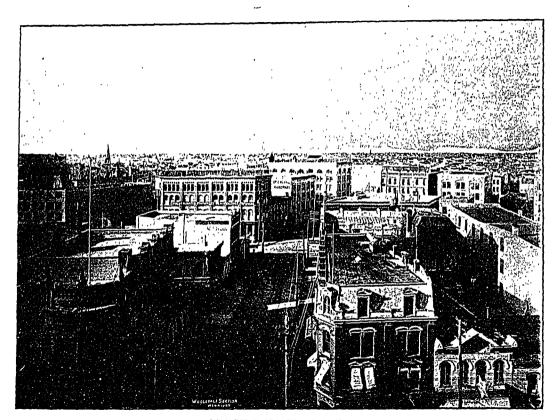
A MILLION MARGUERITE CIGARS ARRIVING AT THE WINNIPEG AGENCY, APRIL 28th, 1904



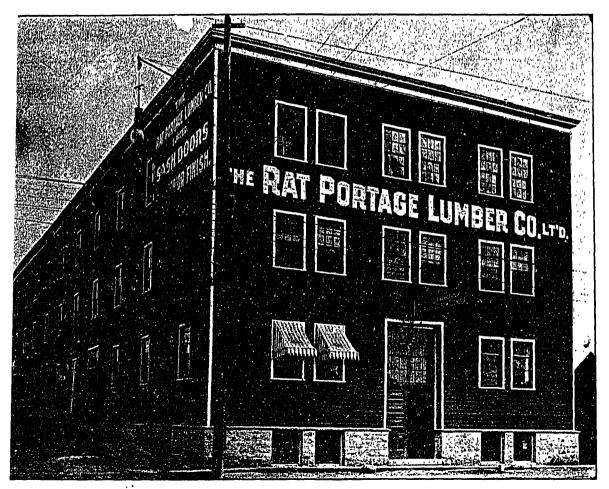


ROSLYN ROAD, WINNIPEG.

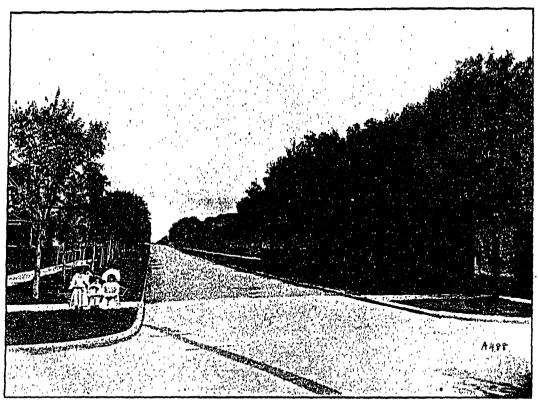




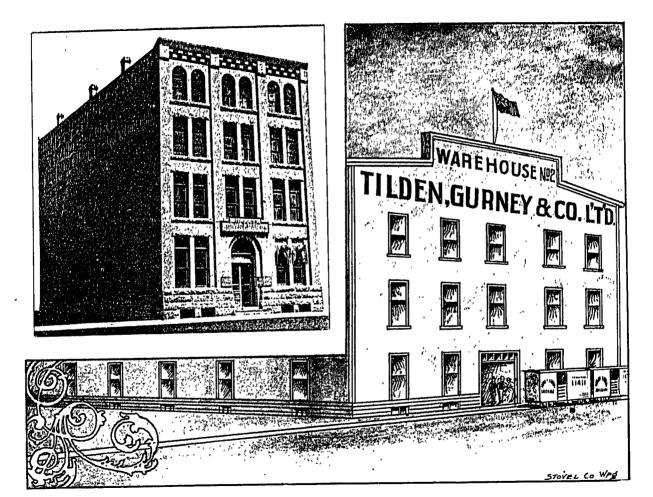
WHOLESALE SECTION, WINNIPEG.

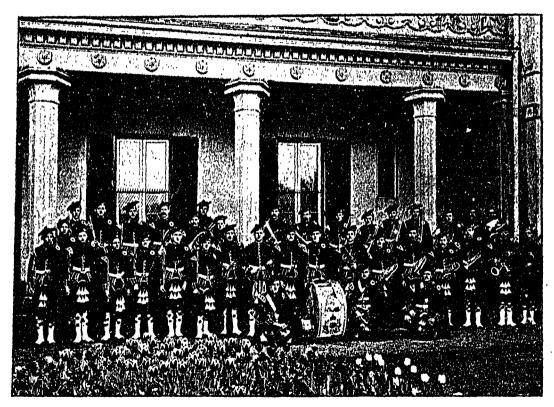


WAREHOUSE OF THE RAT PORTAGE LUMBER CO., LIMITED.
Sash and Door Department.

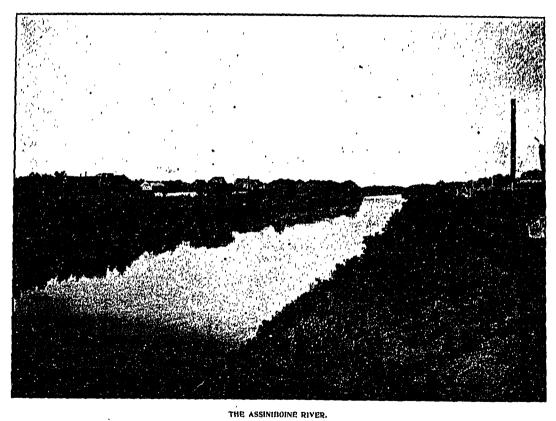


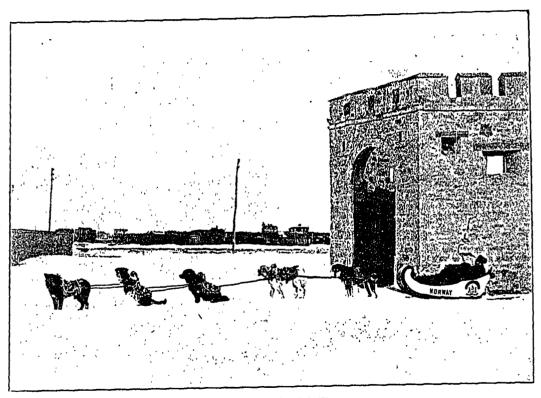
RESIDENCE STREET, WINNIPEG.



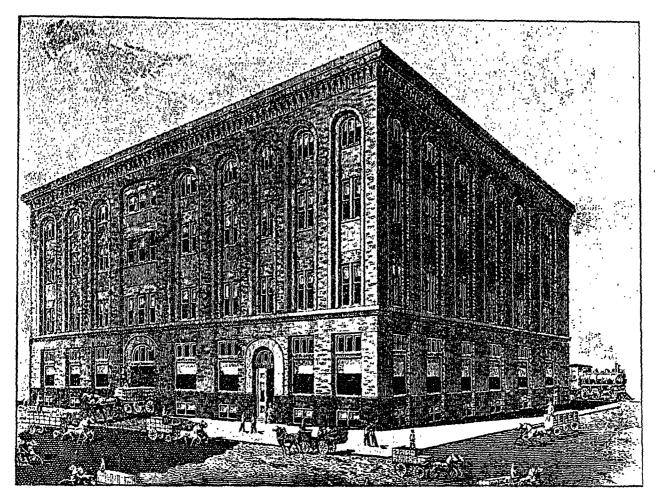


BAND OF 91st HIGHLANDERS.

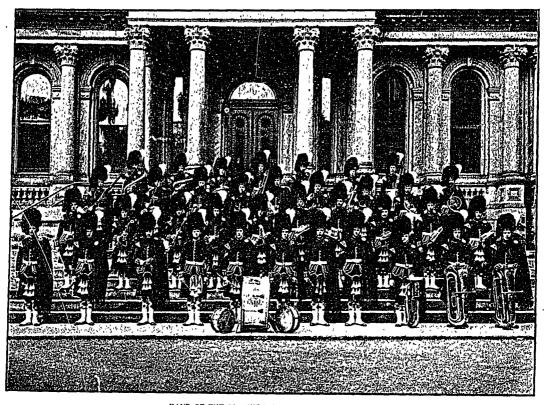




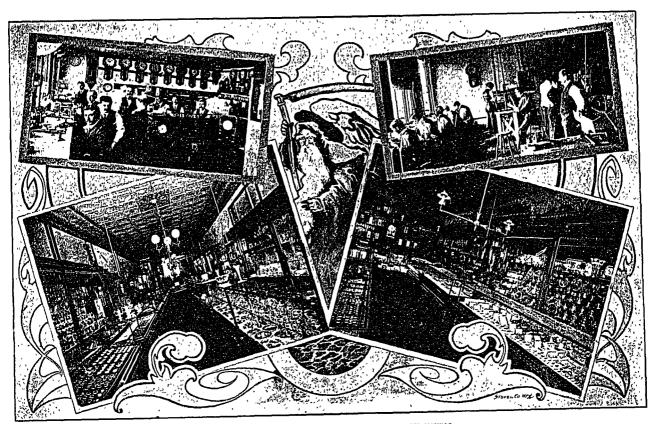
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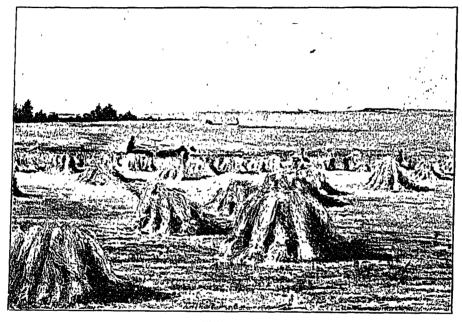
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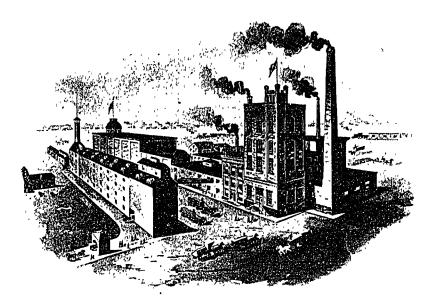


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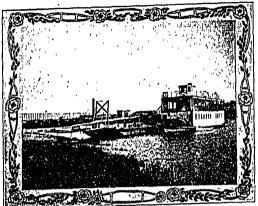
"MANITOBA."

From Painting by Frank M. Armington, Winnipeg.



DREWRY'S BREWERY, WINNIPEG.





Steamer Alexandra



Interior White's Curiosity Shop

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE

HE town of Portage la Prairie is situated in the centre of Manitoba, 56 miles west of Winnipeg, and is now recognized as one of the leading centres of Western Canada; its substantial development has given it an enviable reputation among the cities of the West. The town is about 25 years old. In the early days it was a point of considerable importance as a trading centre, and when the first rush of settlement came westwards, occupied a leading position, and attracted to it a great many people.

While the town has attained considerable status as a constant as a centre of what is admittedly the richest agricultural district in the est that has given to it its creditable name.

In the early days before the advent of the white man, this portion of the country—that is, Portage In Prairie and the Portage Plains— was named the big Portage, as the traveller desiring to go northward had to carry or portage his pack from the Assimboine across the prairies to Lake Manitoba, a distance of 14 miles. Municipal government was inaugurated here in 1885, when the town charter was secured.

The Town Council.—Mayor, Edward Brown; Councillors, F. G. Taylor, J. O. Cadhan, J. J. Garland, D. S. Macdonald, B. S. McKenzie.

Board of Trade.—A. H. Dickens, president; F. G. Taylor, secretary.

Parliamentary Representatives.—Provincial House, Hugh Armstrong, for Portage la Prairie; E. D. Lynch, for Lakeside (Portage Plains). Dominion, W. Boyd, (Carberry). Robert Watson, senator.

Sheriff.—Hon, Daniel McLean,

Postmaster.-W. W. Miller.

Chief of Police.-D. G. McDonald.

Police Magistrate.—G. A. Marshall.

Chief of Fire Brigade.—R. Roxburgh.

Agricultural Society.—President, F. A. Brydon; secretary, W. Shepperd.

Hospital Board.—Col. Anstruther, president; W. H. Thompson, secretary.

Turf Club.—W. R. Taylor, president; Geo. Hilton, secretary,

District Registrar.-W. J. Cooper; deputy, Capt. P. Whimster.

Inspector Indian Agencies .-- S. R. Marlott.

Inland Revenue Officer.—J. W. Sparling.

Customs Officer.-J. A. Marshall.

Supt. Home for Incurables.-W. P. Smith.

The legal fraternity is represented by the following firms: F. G. Taylor, D. A. McDonald, Meighen & McPherson, Anderson & Hudson, A. McLennan.

Medical.-Drs. F. Bod, E. J. Lundy, G. E. Bayfield, W. E. Metcalfe, F. S. Keele, H. A. Gordon, S. B. Cowan.

Dentistry.-R. H. Robertson, C. H. Weagant, W. C. Kaape.

Bank Managers.-Geo. Munro, A. L. Hamilton, W. H. Thomson, E. C. Dobell.

The railway facilities are excellent. The Canadian Northern and Canadian Pacific Railways main lines run through the town, while both roads have various branche- running from Portage la Prairie. Every effort is being made to have connection with the Grand Trunk when that line is built, which it will probably be, in the near future. The town has six churches and one Salvation Army Barracks.

The public schools have seen a rapid development, keeping pace with the growth of the town, and are well up to the mark in point of equipment. The school buildings are four in number, and are conveniently placed in the different wards of the town. Spacious playgrounds surround all the schools and full scope is given for that important part of child education which takes place in the campus.

The introduction of a system of waterworks in the town will be of great advantage to the schools, and the trustees will be eager to avail themselves of this system.

The Collegiate Institute.—It was a distinct step in advance when, many years ago, it was determined to establish the Portage la Prairie Collegiate Institute. From the very first there was a steady growth, but in the past few years it has been advancing by leaps and bounds. A very considerable proportion of the pupils are drawn from outward points, a hundred or more miles distant. The College staff consists of five, including the principal, Mr. George Young, and all the departments of collegiate work are well looked after.

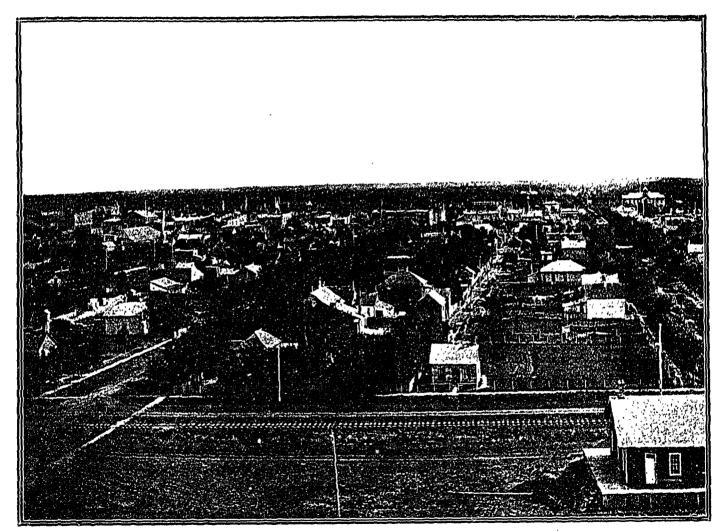
It is not possible in a work of this kind to enumerate all the beauties of the town, nor to mention all industries. Mr. F. G. Taylor, Secretary Board of Trade, will furnish all the desired information upon application.



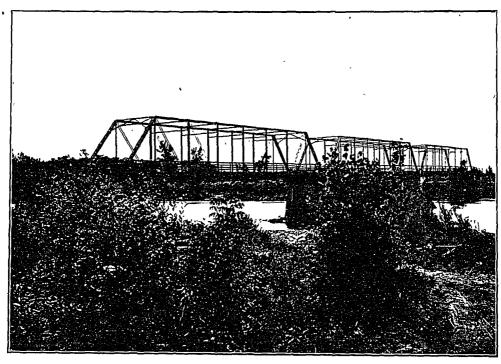
BUSINESS DIRECTORY OF PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE

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Brent, James Livery Brown, J. & E	Hall, G. C. Flour & Feed Hall, Thos. J. Ments Hart, Geo. N. Tailor Harwood, P. J. Jeweller Hay, E. Foundry Hewitson, David. Blacksmith Hicks & Briggs. Machinists Hill, J. K. Drugs Houser, G. B. & Co. Lumber, &c.
Charlton, W. B. & J. T	Hudson's Bay Co
Cockshutt Plow CoImplements Coe Commission CoGrain & Stocks Costigan, CyprianFruits & Confectionery Costigan, JohnFruits & Confectionery Cowan, S. BDrugs, M.D.	Indian School W. A. Hendry, Prin. Knake, W. C. L. D. H. S. Keele, F. S. M. D. King & Miller Barbers Keewatin Lumber & Manufacturing Co. Hotel
Dominion Elevator Co	Lake of the Woods Milling Co. Tailor Lyall, W. G

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	Lundy, E. J	Palmer, A. II
	McCulloch, B. J	Patterson, Andrew C Paints & Wall Paper
	McIntyre, A. H	Prout, T. W
	McKillop, D Furniture McLeod, A	Portage Soda Water Co. Powell, Jas
	McLeod & Shaw	Remey, L
	McCaig, D. CLumber McGee, ThosBoots & Shoes	Robertson, R. H L. D. S. Rundle, W. P
	McLarty, A	Rat Portage Lumber Co. Richardson & Ryan
	McDonald, D. S	Richmond, Jas. Livery Robb, J. F. Meats Roc, D. A. & R. Livery
,	Manitoba Liberal C. D. McPherson, Publisher Marshall, G. A. J. A	Ross, Jno
P	Massey-Flarris Co Implements Mellon, A. E	Souch, E. A
	Metcalf, T. H. & Son Oatmeal Mill Millar, T. & W	Setter, Colin C Livery Snyder Bros
	Monroe, Rupert Livery Murton, Geo	St. John, B. A Jeweller Stevens, H. & T
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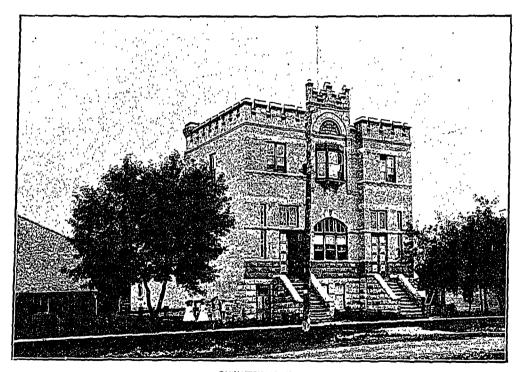
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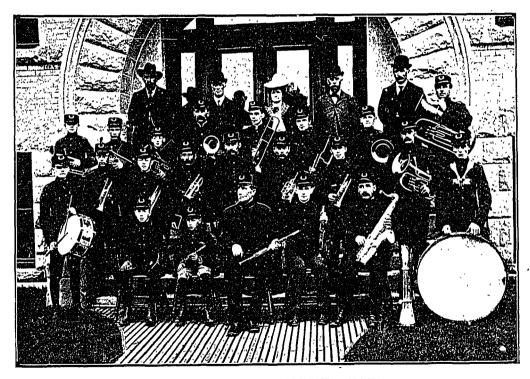
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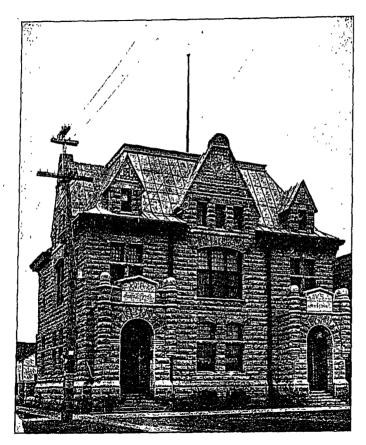
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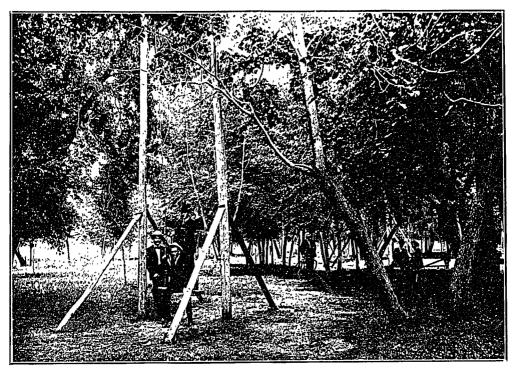
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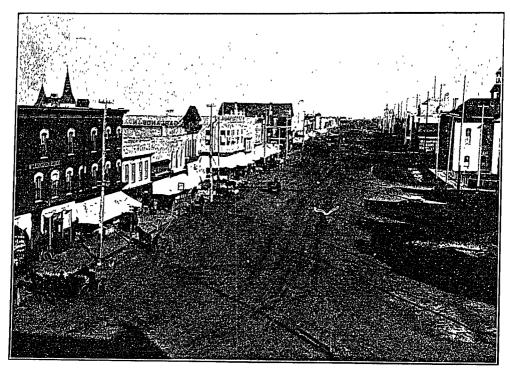
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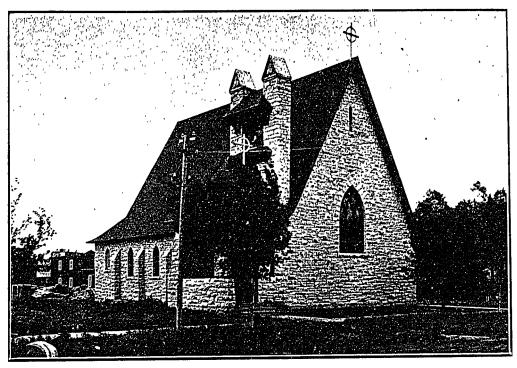
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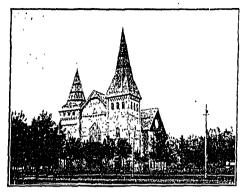
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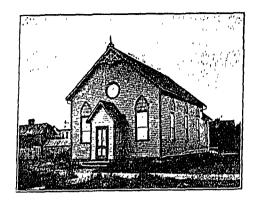
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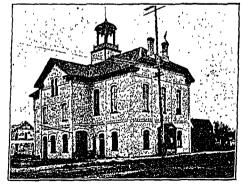
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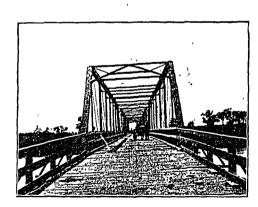
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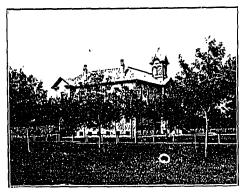
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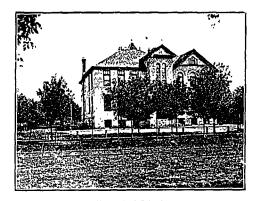
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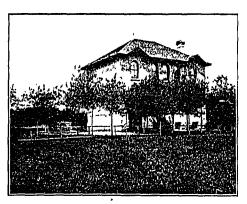
Bridge over Assiniboine River



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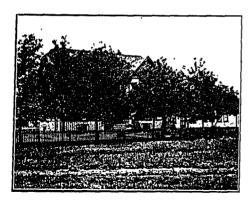
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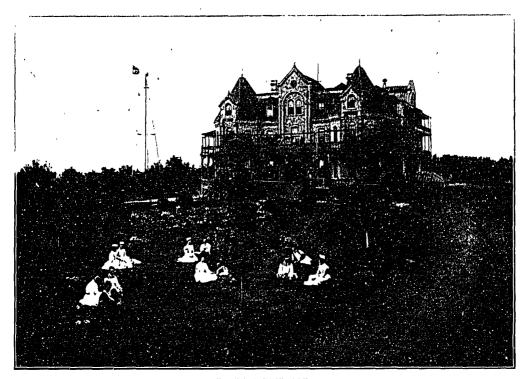
PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE IN 1873.



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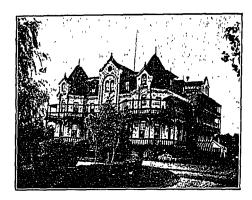
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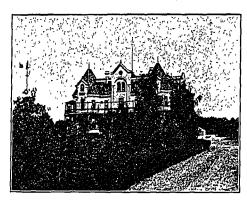
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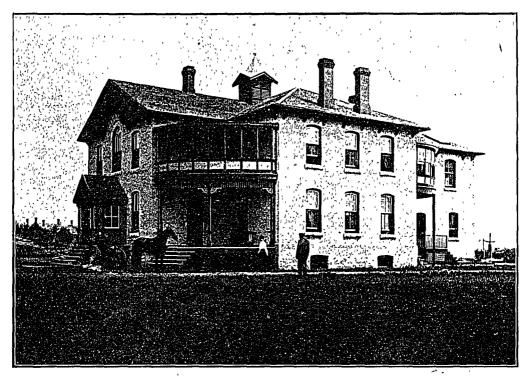
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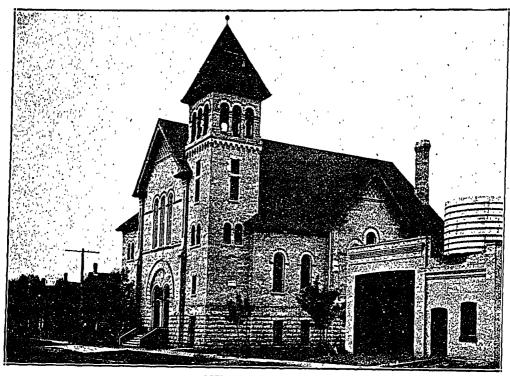
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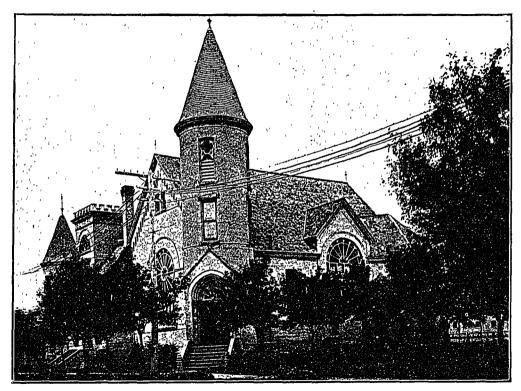
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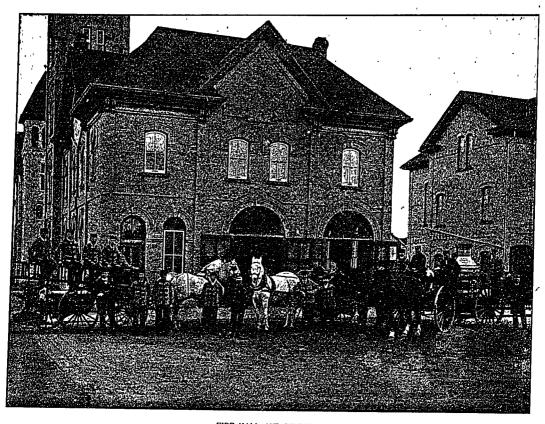
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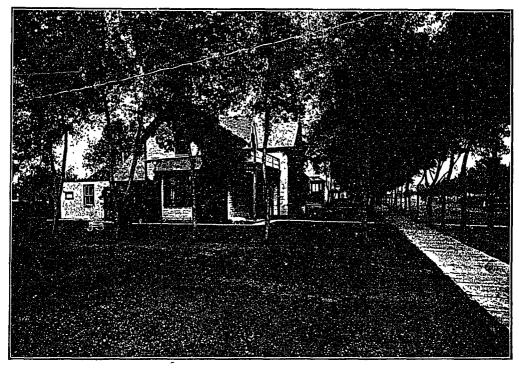
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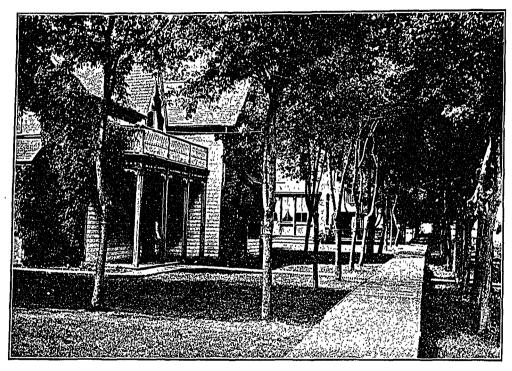
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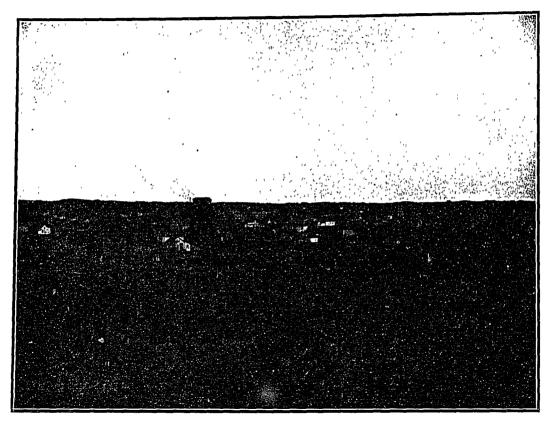


ANNE STREET, LOOKING NORTH FROM LORNE AVENUE.

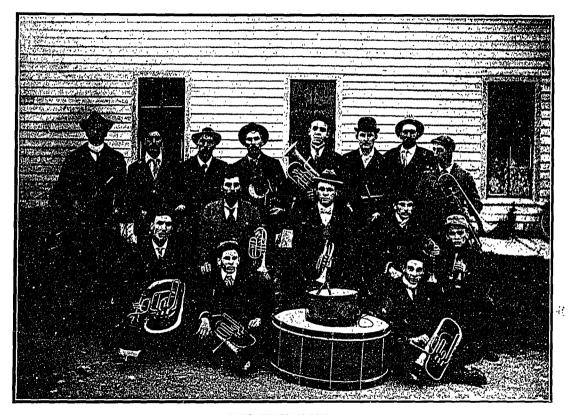
RAPID CITY

APID CITY is beautifully situated on the Little Saskatchewan River, 35 miles north of Brandon, and is surrounded by a very fertile country, and ranks third out of eighty Municipalities in the Province. It has excellent Water Power, which up to the present, has been utilized but little. It is probable that Capital will soon be interested sufficiently to make the Town a manufacturing centre. The Woollen Mill now uses water power to furnish its own motive power and light, also furnishing others. Sheep raising is proving a profitable investment, and bids fair to become an important factor. The Town is governed by a Mayor, and Council. A splendid system of drainage insures a healthy community. Typhoid and kindred fevers are unknown. Within the Town limits can be found in abundance, building stone, sand and lime.

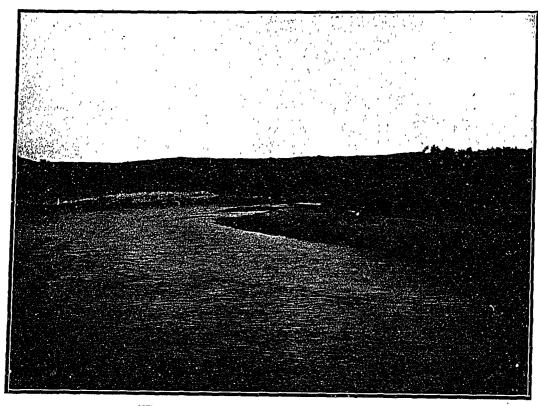
Within the Town can be found Banks, Schools, Churches of various denominations, an Opera House, Hotels, Flour Mill, General Stores, Electric Light and Power, Woollen Mill, Brick-yard, Hardware Stores, Weekly Newspaper, Furniture Dealer, Drug and Stationery Stores, Lumber Dealers, Implement Dealers, Grain Elevators, Real Estate and Insurance Agents, Photographic Supplies, Feed and Sale Stables and Blacksmiths. Also a Driving Association. Taking everything into consideration, Rapid City should make rapid strides in the progress of the Age.



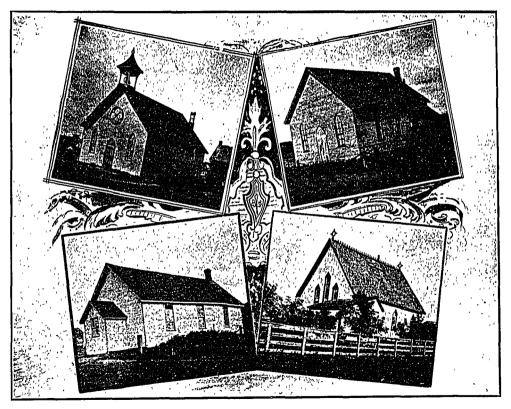
BIRD'S-EYE VIEW OF RAPID CITY.



RAPID CITY BRASS BAND.

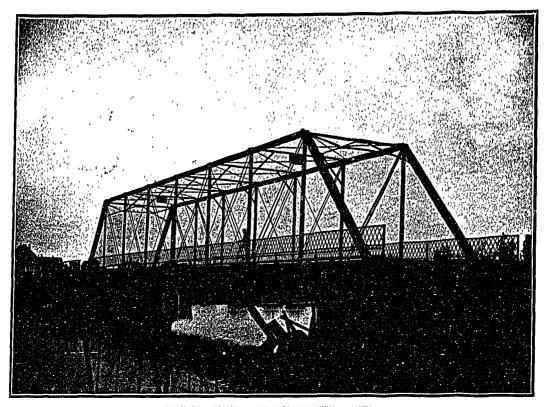


SCENE ON THE LITTLE SASKATCHEWAN RIVER NEAR RAPID CITY.

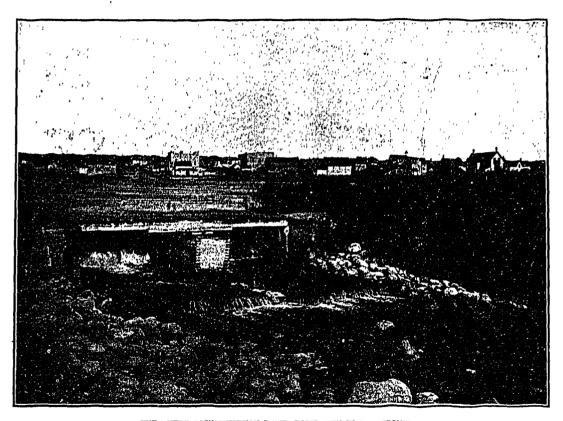


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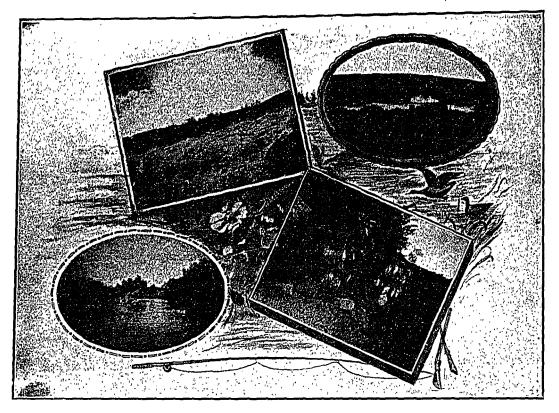
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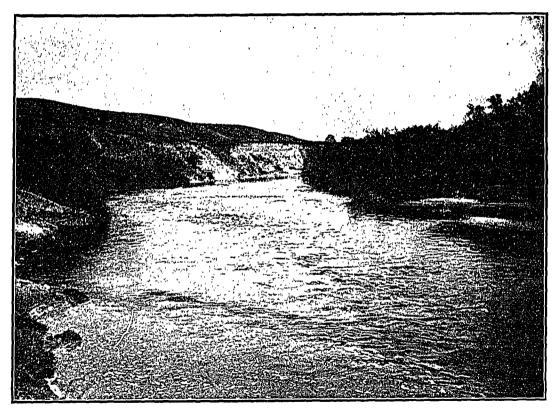
STEEL BRIDGE OVER LITTLE SASKATCHEWAN RIVER.



THE LITTLE SASKATCHEWAN RIVER, RAPID CITY IN BACKGROUND.



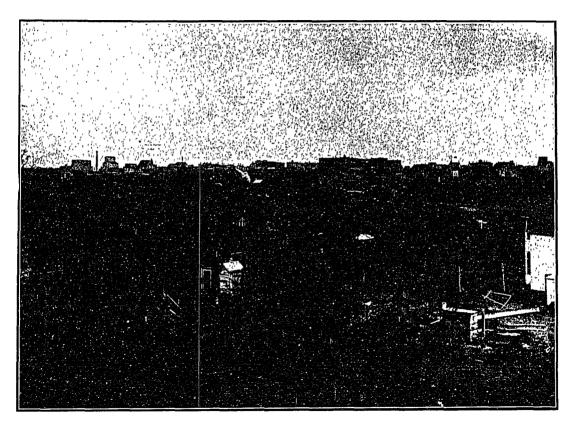
HUNTING SCENES.
Rapid City is Noted for the Wild Duck, Geese and Prairie Chicken.



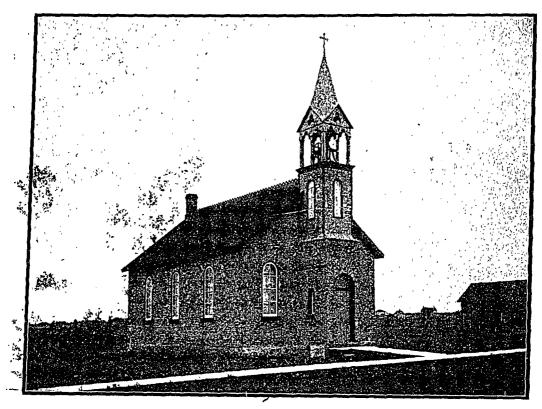
THE RAPIDS BELOW THE DAM OF THE RAPID CITY POWER, LIGHT AND WOOLLEN M'F'G. CO., ON THE LITTLE SASKATCHEWAN RIVER

SOURIS

HE Town is situated on high banks, between the Souris River and Plum Creek. It was first settled in 1880, by Capt. G. Wood, and has continued to develop a steady growth. At present its inhabitants number about 1,000. For situation, soil, water, and in many other respects it is considered superior to any, for a radius of many miles. Souris is an important Railway Junction and Divisional point on the C.P. Ry., 24 miles south of Brandon. It has four fine Churches, School, Roller Mill with capacity for 350 barrels, seven Grain Elevators, two Chartered and one Private Bank, Planing Mill, Lumber Yard, Jewelry Store, Implement houses, General Stores, Hotels, Feed and Sale Stables, Real Estate and Insurance Agents, Fruit and Confectionery, Drug Store, Weekly Newspaper, Furniture Dealers and Undertakers. Squadron "C" of the Canadian Mounted Rifles is located here. The town boasts a Lacrosse Team who were the intermediate champions in 1902.



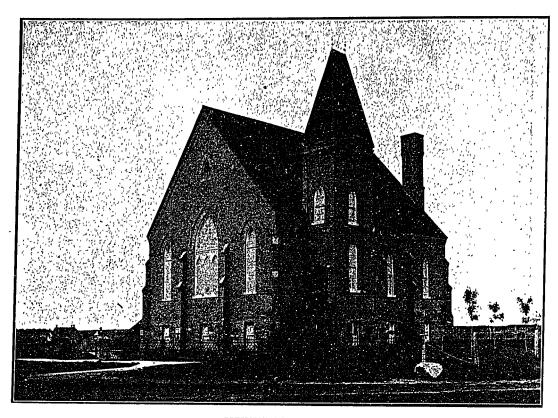
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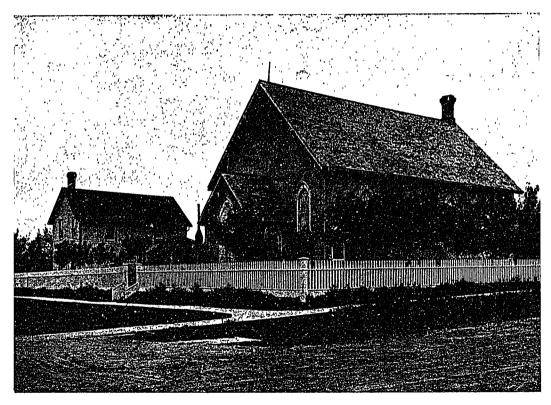
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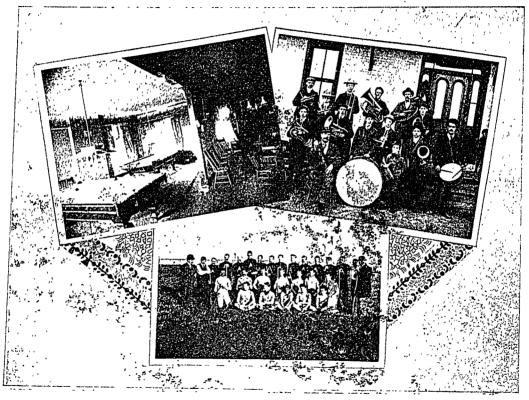
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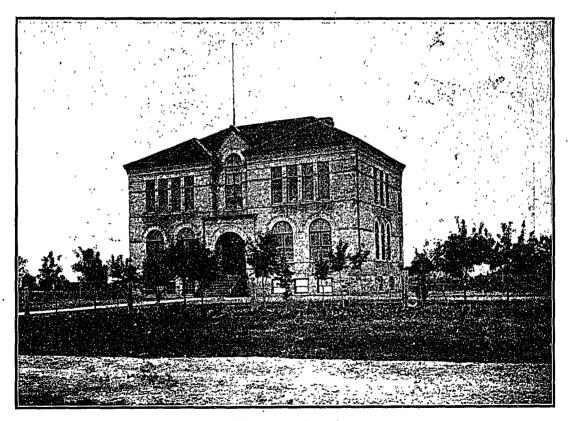


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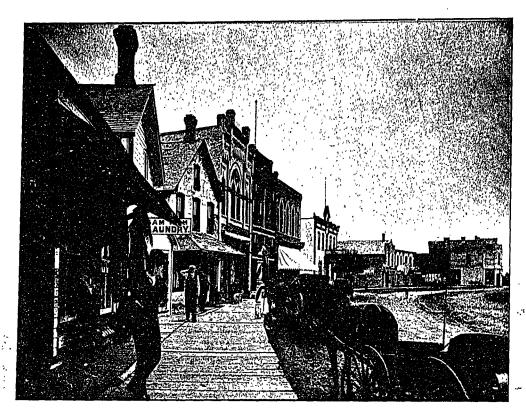


CONSERVATIVE CLUB ROOM

SOURIS BRASS BAND.



PUBLIC SCHOOL OF SOURIS.



CRESCENT STREET, LOOKING EAST.

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Leave Winnipeg 10,50k Arrive Port Arthur 8,30k Leave Port Arthur 18,50k Arrive Winnipeg 10,30k

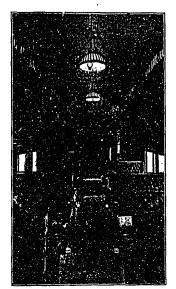
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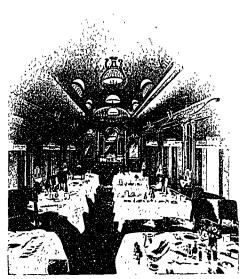
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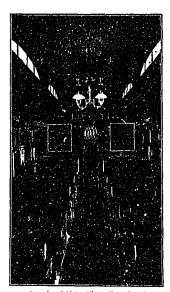
Connections made at Port Arthurwith steamers of the Northern Navigation Co. to and from Sarnia; the Canadian Pacific 8.8. Line to and from Owen Sound; and the Canadian Pacific All Rail route,



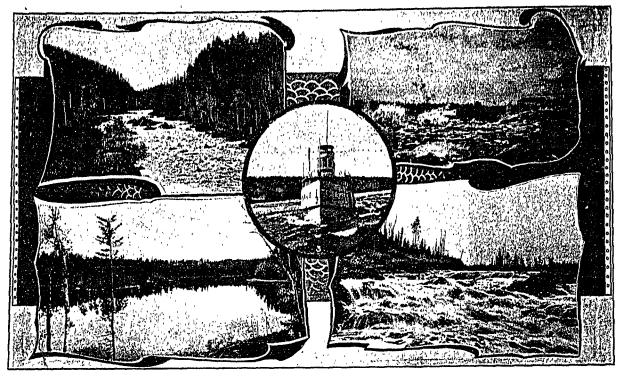
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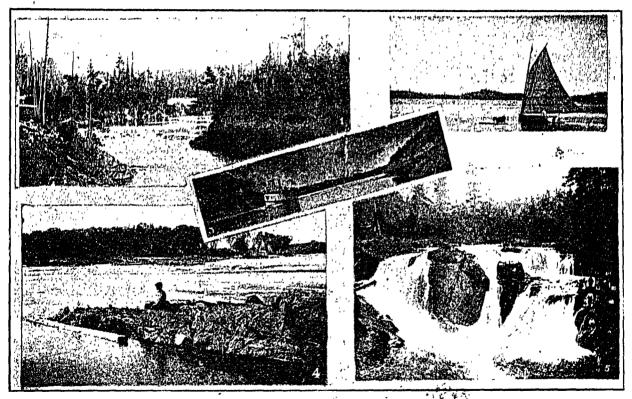
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Here is found everything that the nerve shattered inhabitants of cities need or desire; an ozone-laden air that fills the lungs, and stimulates like wine; clear cool days; the pungent odor of sine and fir; streams Mied with trout; beautiful lakes, with endiess stretches of Islands, like the links of a broken chain; a vast solitude that soothes like a caress; and quiet villages on the verge of the forest, where peace rests like a benediction over all.

Here one may tramp or cance for days and weeks, encountering naught but the wild things of nature; sleep on Balsam boughs beneath the stars, and wake with the odor of moss and leaves in his nostrils, absorbing into his body and soul the life and power of the wilderness.

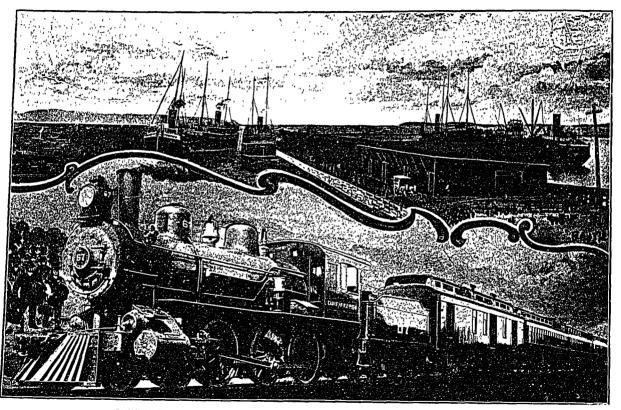


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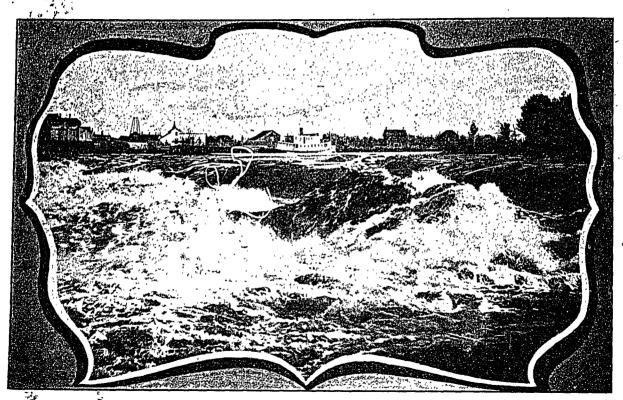
Nowhere on the Continent is there anything just like it. There is but one Rainy Lake; and but one Lake of the Woods.



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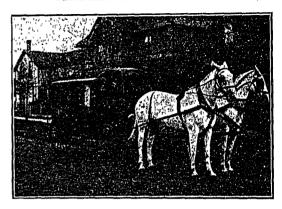
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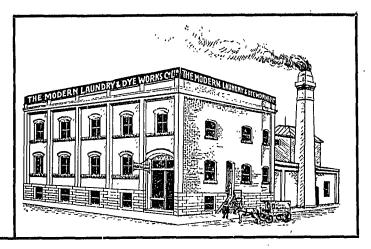
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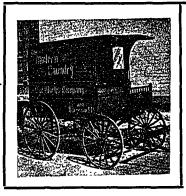
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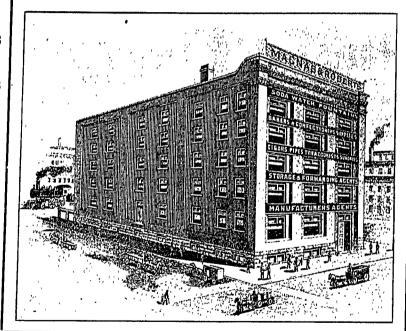
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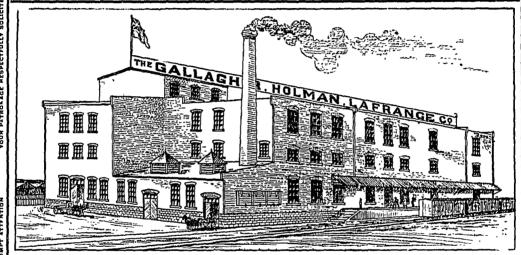
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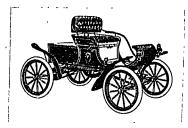
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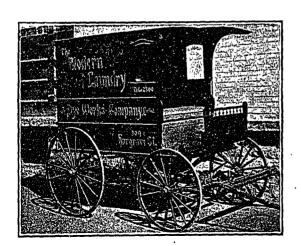
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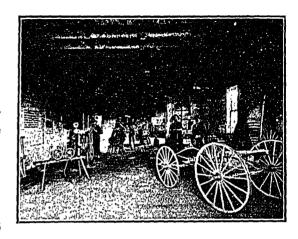
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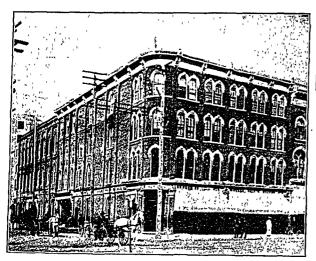
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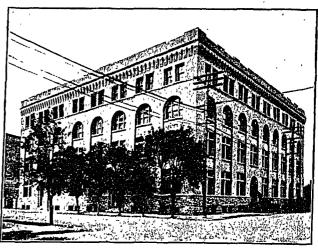
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